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SUPT. ANDREWS RESIGNS HIS POST

District Heads Lane, Speer, Kirk, and Normal Principal Cooley in Line to Succeed.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

Retiring Official Gets Two Months' Leave on Pay and Then Goes to Nebraska University.

TRUSTEES EXPRESS REGRETS

Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews has accepted the chancellorship of the University of Nebraska. His decision was announced to the Board of Education last night. He will retire from the superintendency of the Chicago public schools on May 1 and will assume the university office in August. His successor as Superintendent probably will be one of the District Superintendents, William W. Speer, Alfred Kirk, and A. G. Lane being considered.

Albert G. Lane has been connected with the Chicago Schools for years. He was elected Superintendent in 1891 and continued in that position until succeeded by Dr. Andrews. He was born in Chicago in 1841 and was one of the first class ever graduated from a Chicago high school. When 18 years old he was made principal of the Franklin School. He has been an officer of the National Educational association for years, was at one time County Superintendent of Schools, and is well known as an educator. At present he is superintendent of School District No. 3.

Alfred Kirk is the district superintendent of District No. 8, which includes the southeastern portion of the city.

William W. Speer is the district superintendent in charge of District No. 2, which is in the northern division of the city.

Dr. Andrews was granted two months' leave of absence from the schools with full salary and the official close of his connection with the system will date from the end of the school term in June.

Dr. Andrews' Announcement.

The announcement of Dr. Andrews' intention to accept the university offer was made exclusively in THE TRIBUNE of yesterday. It was denied in the afternoon papers at about the time Dr. Andrews told President Harris that he had decided to leave.

The communication submitted to the Board of Education was as follows:

"Graham H. Harris, President of the Board of Education—My Dear Sir: Having been elected chancellor of the University of Nebraska, and meaning to assume said office after the close of my present term of service with the board, I hereby respectfully notify you that I am not and shall not be a candidate for reelection Superintendent of Schools.

"Further, the condition of my health and eyesight constrains me to request leave of absence without salary for the entire months of May and June, if possible, or, if this is too much, for such and so large parts of those months as may be deemed suitable. Very respectfully, E. BENJAMIN ANDREWS,

"Superintendent of Schools."

The board accepted the announcement and granted the leave of absence. As a mark of respect to the Superintendent it was voted that his salary be continued until the expiration of his term in June.

Trustees Express Regrets.

At the close of the meeting all the trustees told him they regretted his action.

"Dr. Andrews, you have met the Greek," said Trustee Keating.

"I have met the inevitable," said the Superintendent laughing. "But I have not gone yet. There will be still some committee meetings."

"Dr. Andrews will make a good chancellor," said Trustee Loesch later.

"I am sorry to see him go," said Trustee Sexton.

"In spite of our differences," said President Harris, "I have been friendly to Dr. Andrews personally."

Dr. and Mrs. Andrews probably will go to the mountain regions of Germany for his vacation.

"I leave the schools without bitterness towards any member of the Board of Education," Dr. Andrews said. "I judge from expressions of board members tonight that there is no such sentiment among the trustees. Members who have been quoted as unfriendly to me in the past have spoken of my leaving with regret. Any influence which I may have had on the schools in the two years of my superintendency is probably too intangible to be defined, but I hope and believe there have been some results."

For Temporary Charge.

One of the eight district superintendents probably will be placed in temporary charge during the unexpired term of Superintendent Andrews. Trustees expressed themselves as favoring William W. Speer of district 2, Albert G. Lane of district 3, or Alfred Kirk of district 8. These also were mentioned as possibilities for the next full term. E. G. Cooley, recently elected principal of the Chicago Normal School, was mentioned as a candidate with City Hall influence. Trustee Keating insisted the desirable candidate must be free from local influences.

Other Business Transacted.

The board adopted a resolution that no school buildings be erected in the future without adequate provision for playgrounds.

It was voted to allow Miss May Eaton, teacher in the Henry H. Nash School, her salary, less substitute's pay, for the time she was absent as the result of scarlet fever contracted from a note sent from the sick room of a pupil.

CLOSING UP A PACKING DEAL.

Schwartzchild & Sulzberger's Last Proposition Approved by Chicago Provision Directors.

The negotiations between Schwartzchild & Sulzberger of New York and the Chicago Packing & Provision company of this city for the purchase of the packing company's plant at the Stock-Yards are assuming definite shape. The New York firm, which has been endeavoring for months to secure a suitable location at the Stock-Yards to enter the packing business, has made a proposition for the plant which the directors of the packing company have approved and submitted to the stockholders for their approval. The price named is understood to be in the neighborhood of $300,000.

SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

LOCAL.

Dr. E. B. Andrews resigned as Superintendent of Chicago schools, and announced to Board of Education that he had accepted Chancellorship of University of Nebraska. Resignation accepted, and two months' leave of absence from May 1 granted, with full pay. One of the district superintendents likely to succeed him.

Assessors discovered that Board of Review last year quietly made reductions on real estate assessments of corporations and individuals to offset increases spread on personalty. Illinois Steel and Armour & Co. each reduced $1,000,000 on realty.

Miss Helen Bertram admitted she was engaged to S. George D'Essauer. Investigators now believe his profits were $100,000, part being secured from his mother-in-law, J. Stanley Goldsmith, secretary of his company, being looked for.

Chicago people criticised Minister Storer for apologizing to Spanish government for Dewey committee's clerical error. Minister's course approved by officials and diplomats in Washington.

Hull House Woman's club decided to withdraw from General Federation because latter is merely a "succession of conventions," does not help much, and dues are excessive.

Mrs. Clara B. Keator arrested on complaint of jewelers, who assert she obtained credit for $20,842 by claiming to be wealthy.

Merit board called Commissioner McGann's attention to supposed instance of pay-roll stuffing in Water department.

President Boldenweck favors bond issue for improvements to Chicago River.

A thugs' cave was found in basement of McClurg corner, burned a year ago.

Lieutenant Ptacek becomes Assistant Superintendent of Police today.

Protests against three Hyde Park saloons.

BOER-BRITISH WAR.

Half of the members of the Chicago ambulance corps tore off Red Cross badges and accepted Mausers.

Staffs of Buller and Warren have not been on speaking terms since Spion Kop fight.

Reported that Warren's recall has been issued and Buller's is to follow.

Blockade of Wepener continued.

FOREIGN.

Mareuil memorial service became a Nationalist manifestation. Troops charged mob, cheering Mercier and the army.

Two Admirals and forty-two other Russian naval officers arrested for embezzlement.

Earl Russell married at Reno, Nev., in spite of Lords' refusal to divorce him.

Dr. Talmage told English United States would do nothing to obstruct England.

Berlin merchant wants sum claimed of Spain withheld from Caroline's price.

Elizabeth Parkinson and Ada Adams scored success at concert in Paris.

Kumassi closely invested by Ashantis and British forces appealed for aid.

Turkey refuses to abandon increased import dues, as asked by powers.

Citizens of Saint Malo, France, hung Joseph Chamberlain in effigy.

Boers offered to loan Portugal funds to pay Delagoa Bay award.

King Humbert will open Naples exposition.

WASHINGTON.

Vienna correspondent of the Times expects United States not to "indulge in empty threats" with Turkey, and says Europe would not interfere to protect Sultan. Washington believes America will be firm, but no fleet will be sent to Smyrna at present.

In House Democrats charged McKinley had changed his mind regarding Porto Rican bill; Grosvenor explained President's ideas.

Reduction of war revenue taxes unlikely, as though House favors Senate opposes, and McKinley is unwilling to act.

Chairman Cooper of Insular Affairs committee at work on a bill to regulate granting of franchises.

Dairymen claim oleomargarine manufacturers are delaying bill in committee.

Senate considered Alaskan civil code bill.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Mayor called conference of material men to adjust labor trouble. Building Contractors and Trades Council may be called on to disband to secure peace.

Directors of American Steel and Wire will call J. W. Gates to account for stock manipulation, and may force him to retire. Pittsburg and De Kalb plants reopened.

Reports from every county in Indiana indicate wheat yield of from failure to 75 per cent of a third crop.

Canadian Pacific agreed to stop paying commissions on sale of tickets after May 1.

Armour & Co. will change from steam to electricity tomorrow at Stock-Yards.

First arrest of union picket since Corporation Counsel's opinion was rendered.

Bankers ask margins of 25 to 30 per cent on preferred industrials as collaterals.

Mrs. J. S. Robb proposes an organization of non-union men and their wives.

Brewery labor trouble settled.

POLITICS.

Twenty-fourth Ward Republican club likely to indorse Carter at its meeting tonight. Carter spoke at the Calumet club and Hanecy addressed audiences in three halls.

At Brooklyn Jefferson banquet ex-Governor Campbell of Ohio declared silver is a dead issue because of nation's prosperity.

Missouri Populists denounced Bryan and Rockefeller for their connection with trusts.

Vermont Republican convention indorsed McKinley and expansion.

Lorimer working hard for Hanecy.

ARMY AND NAVY.

Colonel Pettit of Thirty-first Volunteers court-martialed for surrendering a Filipino prisoner, who was instantly killed without trial.

War department taking steps to aid families of officers and men who fail to support them.

Senate adopted resolution to give medals to sailors of North Atlantic squadron.

Army officers in Porto Rico will retain civil positions until Aug. 1.

Nearly 200 vacant Second Lieutenancies.

Army testing gun carriages.

RELIGIOUS.

Delegates from fifty-three Catholic colleges at annual conference. Discussed elective system.

Plan to unite young men of Chicago churches in closer fellowship.

Pope will bless 10,000 pilgrims at St. Peter's on Friday.

Pope will ordain no new Cardinals at the next consistory.

DOMESTIC.

W. M. Bates argued against ship subsidy bill at Transmississippi congress.

First "automobile wedding" in New York.

SPORTING.

National league season opens today; Chicago and Cincinnati, "doomed by critics to battle for tail-end honors," play on latter's grounds.

Chicago American league defeated Chicago University by heavy batting, 10 to 2.

American league season opens today in Kansas City and Detroit.

The Conqueror ran second to Knight Baneret at Memphis.

Hart objects to umpires' schedule.

IS ENGAGED TO D'ESSAUER

MISS BERTRAM WON BY BOND DEALER'S PERSISTENCY.

Actress in New York Prostrated by News of His Chicago Career—He Follows Her to San Francisco and Settles $25,000 in Securities on Her Boy—J. Stanley Goldsmith, His Secretary, Being Looked For—Details of Dealings with His Mother-in-Law.

New York, April 18.—[Special.]—It was admitted tonight that an engagement existed between Miss Helen Bertram of the Bostonians and S. George D'Essauer, who is wanted in Chicago in connection with a bogus bond deal. Miss Bertram herself was out of the cast of the Bostonians tonight. She was too ill to appear, it was stated, being on the verge of nervous prostration caused by the shock of discovering the real character of her fiancé.

Miss Bertram first met D'Essauer in Chicago. He at once became attentive to the singer and showered attentions on her and other members of the company in the way of dinners and good times.

It is stated that he told Miss Bertram he was a member of the French nobility, that he was securing a divorce from his wife in France, and that when it was secured he would have a half interest in a big estate which would be divided. D'Essauer followed the company to Butte, Mont., where he said he owned valuable mining interests. He always had plenty of money and spent it freely.

At Butte he proposed to Miss Bertram, but she put him off for the time. When the Bostonians were playing in San Francisco D'Essauer appeared again. Miss Bertram by this time had come to like him. She employed a detective, however, to look him up, and, after investigation, the sleuth said D'Essauer was all right. Miss Bertram then told D'Essauer she could not marry him unless provision was made for her boy, a child of her marriage with E. J. Henley, as she was his sole support. D'Essauer said that was no obstacle, and settled $25,000 in bonds on the child. The transfer was made in the presence of Henry Clay Barnabee of the Bostonians, but the character of the bonds no one seems to know or will talk about.

Betrothal Becomes Known.

Then the engagement between Miss Bertram and D'Essauer became known. D'Essauer followed the company to Denver, and when it left there went to Chicago. All the time he kept writing letters to Miss Bertram. Her first intimation of anything wrong was last night. All the company declare she is the victim of an adventurer.

J. Stanley Goldsmith, Secretary of the defunct Western Security company, is said to have disappeared with S. George D'Essauer. Goldsmith lived with the D'Essauer family at 52 Astor street. Mrs. D'Essauer has left Evanston and her whereabouts is unknown, although she is thought to be with friends living on the South Side. The statement she has gone East to meet her husband is denied.

It is now thought that D'Essauer profited to the extent of much more than $100,000 through his dealings with Chicago businessmen and with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Harvey. Two men who say they were defrauded in deals with D'Essauer are on their way to New York, and it is thought that a clew to the missing man has been discovered. Important developments in the case are looked for in the East in a few days.

When John Van Nortwick, the first President of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, died he left $100,000 to his daughter, Mrs. Harvey. She was to have the use of the money, which eventually would be divided between her two daughters.

Wins Mrs. Harvey's Confidence.

Miss Elizabeth Harvey, the youngest daughter, after some time spent in Evanston, went to New York. One day her relatives were notified by telegraph that she had been married to S. George D'Essauer. In a few weeks the couple came to Chicago. He quickly gained the confidence of his mother-in-law, it is said, and $50,000 of her fortune was intrusted to him. As security he gave her $40,000 of the bonds of the Leavenworth Light and Power company of Kansas. Mrs. Harvey's lawyers soon learned the company did not exist, but she refused to suspect her son-in-law of duplicity. The bonds did not even have a seal. It was this move, it is supposed, that supplied D'Essauer with ready money.

How the $8,000 Was Paid.

The details of the payment of the $8,000 to the Chicago financier who loaned D'Essauer the $27,500 on the worthless bonds have become public. After his departure from the city it was discovered that $8,600 was on deposit in a local bank to the credit of the Western Security company. The clerk in charge of the office was told to turn over the amount or legal proceedings would be begun. He communicated with D'Essauer over the long-distance telephone and the latter authorized him to pay the amount.

Efforts are being made not only to locate D'Essauer, but the place where the plates were made from which the forged bonds were printed is being sought also.

President White Hard to Find.

The disappearance of Secretary Goldsmith adds to the mystery surrounding D'Essauer's company. George A. White was said to be President of the Western Security company, and the directory gives his residence as Aurora. There is no such man known there, so far as investigation can disclose. No one remembers ever having seen White. It is intimated that when all the facts in connection with the worthless bonds become known it will be found that persons in the East are involved. The Chicago end is thought to be but a part of a gigantic swindling scheme.

STOCK SALE BREAKS A RECORD.

Fairview Herd of Hereford Brings a Total of $84,415—Average Price Is $671.

The Nave auction sale of the Fairview herd of Hereford cattle, which closed yesterday at Dexter Park amphitheater, Union Stock-Yards, broke all records of auction sales of any breed since the Cochrane sale of shorthorns in Dexter Park in 1874. In the two days ninety-six animals sold for $64,415, an average of $671 each. The purchasers are from thirteen States and Canada.

Among the bulls sold, besides the champion Dale at $7,500, were imported Viscount Rupert at $3,100, and imported Bruce, $1,400. Perfection, a 16-months-old calf, brought $1,300. Seven cows sold for $1,300, among them being Russett and Theresa at $3,000 each, imported Lady Help at $2,600, and Dolly V. at $2,100. In all twenty bulls brought $19,085, an average of $954 each, and seventy-six cows $45,330, an average of $596.

The last previous record sale of pure bred cattle was the dispersion of the Wallace Estill herd of Aberdeen Angus cattle, also at Dexter Park amphitheater, on March 22 and 23 of this year, when seventy-two head brought $41,699, an average of $579 each.

RAID THUGS' DOWN-TOWN CAVE.

Police Arrest Seven Men in Vault of Old McClurg Store—Evidently Long Occupied.

An underground thugs' den has been discovered by the police almost in the heart of the business district. The retreat, which shows signs of an occupancy of several months, is a basement vault in the ruins of the A. C. McClurg book store, Wabash avenue and Madison street. Early yesterday morning the place was raided and seven men and boys were arrested. Later all were fined $10 each, with the exception of John Gachowski, a lad 16 years of age, who was held to the juvenile court.

The vault is reached by a secret passage which the refugees scooped out in the mass of ruins yet remaining in the basement. An iron door with rusty bolts and bars gives access to the inner chamber of the retreat, which is the old vault. Here the members of the band had ranged bunks and set up their stock of comforts of life. A small kerosene stove was used for cooking, and an ancient case for shipping books served the double purpose of study and dining table.

Shortly before 4 o'clock yesterday morning Patrolman Robert Lind noticed a man lift a plank near the southeast corner of the McClurg ruin and disappear from view. The policeman lifted the same plank, only to find a hole leading apparently to nowhere. Lind called a patrol wagon.

Down the passage the policemen groped their way to the iron door. Inside they found the seven men, whom they immediately marched to the station. On the floor were pieces of gas pipe and a "billy," which the police believe have seen service in holdup work. The six arrested aside from the boy were Joseph France, Lawrence Glinn, August Gebhard, Henry Prince, John Koben, and Louis Smith.

"There was no evidence against the men," said Captain Colleran, "and they were dismissed with light fines. I have no doubt, however, that the place has been the refuge of many criminal characters."

HULL HOUSE CLUB WITHDRAWS

Finds Woman's General Federation Simply "a Succession of Conventions" and of Little Help.

Because the General Federation of Women's Clubs is "simply a succession of conventions," and because its dues are excessive, the Hull House Woman's club decided yesterday to withdraw from membership. One reason was that the federation, outside of its industrial committee recently appointed, does not increase the effectiveness of the club.

The Hull House club, in communicating its action to Mrs. G. W. Kendrick, corresponding secretary of the federation, stated that the withdrawal was a protest against the dues. These, it is stated, amount to $20 at each biennial of the organization.

"The General federation is simply a succession of conventions," said Mrs. A. P. Stevens of Hull House, "and that is not what clubs are for. Outside of two communications from the Industrial committee we have received nothing from the federation except a notice to pay our dues. The members felt they could use their money to better advantage by giving it to the vacation schools or some similar project in Chicago.

"The action probably will be followed all over the State. There are only about seventy-five clubs out of 150 in Illinois which are members of the General federation."

SHOOTING OF GEO. HAMMOND.

Victim Is Expected to Die—East Chicago Avenue Police Think They Have a Mystery.

Captain Haas and detectives of the East Chicago Avenue Station think they have a mystery in the shooting last night of George Hammond, an iceman, who lives with his wife, Lena, on the second floor at 36 Cass street.

At 10 o'clock Detective McNally found Hammond lying on the floor of his parlor with a bullet hole in the back of his head. He was removed to the Alexian Brothers' Hospital, where it was said he could not recover.

Mrs. Hammond declares her husband shot himself, but the police say the circumstances warrant a thorough investigation. Mrs. Hammond and Otto Fleisch, who has been rooming at the Hammond flat, will be detained until Captain Haas has cleared up the mystery.

RESCUE SIX WOMEN AT A FIRE.

Policemen Do Good Work at a State Street Blaze—Crowd Steals Candy Store Stock.

Six women were carried from the burning building at 531-533 State street at 1:30 o'clock this morning by Policemen McDonald, Garvin, and Jervis. All the families in the building were sleeping when the fire started, and the upper floors were filled with smoke before they could escape. Several women became panic-stricken and would have been overcome but for the arrival of the policemen.

The fire started in the basement, occupied, with the ground floor, by W. J. Hammond, a wholesale candy manufacturer. The building is owned by I. D. Peacock, 230 West Van Buren street. The loss is slight.

After the fire was under control the children in the crowd of spectators carried off much off the stock of candy that escaped the fire and water.

COURT-MARTIAL FOR PETTIT.

Colonel of Thirty-first Infantry Tried for Surrendering a Filipino Prisoner, Who Was Immediately Killed.

New York, April 18.—A dispatch from Manila announces that Colonel James S. Pettit of the Thirty-first Volunteers, in command at Zamboanga, has been court-martialed for handing a prisoner of war over to Presidente Medell of Zamboanga, who killed the prisoner at once, without trial. Pettit is the officer with whom Lieutenant Colonel Webb C. Hayes, who recently resigned, is said to have quarreled, owing to Pettit's dickering with a Morro Datto for the right to land troops and compelling his men to submit to indignities from the natives.

SENATOR THURSTON IN TOWN.

Going to Omaha to Smash Rosewater Scheme to Keep Him from National Convention.

Senator John M. Thurston of Nebraska was at the Great Northern yesterday with his wife on his way to Omaha. He admitted his mission was to attempt to break the scheme to keep him from going to the National Republican convention as a delegate-at-large, the post for which Edward Rosewater of Omaha has been named. "I do not propose to lie down quietly," he said, "and believe I will be able to overthrow the scheme to keep me from the convention."

FOR BIG DEBT IN JEWELS.

MRS. CLARA B. KEATOR TAKEN BY DEPUTY SHERIFF.

Hyman, Berg & Co. Bring Action in Court Against Resident at Hotel Metropole, Asserting She Owes the Firm $20,842 for Goods Purchased—Declare She Posed as Worth Millions—Arrest Made Shortly Before Midnight.

Mrs. Clara B. Keator, who says she is the owner of Western real estate worth several millions, was arrested late last night by Deputy Sheriff Sheridan at her apartments at the Hotel Metropole on a capias issued by Judge Dunne. The writ was granted in the suit of Hyman, Berg & Co., jewelers, who assert that Mrs. Keator owes them $20,842.

The suit was filed just before the adjournment of court and was suppressed in the clerk's office till service was assured on the defendant.

From the affidavit on which the court order was secured, reference to which was had after the service of the writ became known, it appears that the claim of the jewelers is for diamonds and other valuable stones purchased by Mrs. Keator during the last two years.

From the affidavit, signed by Harry S. Hyman for the firm, Mrs. Keator was given credit on her assertion that she was a widow, whose husband had bequeathed to her realty in Minnesota and Iowa valued at several million dollars.

Story of Wealth Believed.

On the strength of this statement, Mr. Berg declares, Mrs. Keator was accorded credit, and not until the bill amounted to the sum sued for was her ability to pay doubted. Since January last efforts have been made by the firm to secure a settlement of the claim, and these attempts, according to the affidavit, have met with failure. Mrs. Keator refusing to pay for the jewels, declaring that she was unable to meet the obligation. Mr. Hyman now asserts his belief that the claim of Mrs. Keator to the possession of vast wealth is false.

It is claimed that the only assets possessed by Mrs. Keator are a part of the jewels obtained from Hyman, Berg & Co. The affidavit sets forth that jewels to the value of $10,000 are now worn by Mrs. Keator.

The plaintiff in the suit declared to Judge Dunne that the defendant was about to leave the city, and on this showing the writ was issued without notice.

Mrs. Keator is still in her apartments, but in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Sheridan. Judge Dunne fixed the bail bond at $25,000. Before issuing the writ the Judge compelled the firm to file an indemnifying bond of $41,684, double the amount sued for.

The suit was filed by Attorney Alfred S. Austrian. When seen at his residence after midnight Mr. Austrian refused to make any statement regarding the case.

Besides at Hotel Metropole.

Mrs. Keator, her two daughters, and a son reside at the Hotel Metropole, where they have been for several months, and prior to that they lived at Forty-fourth street and Greenwood avenue. Though apparently wealthy, it is said that Mrs. Keator and her family took no prominent position in South Side society.

The writ of capias ad respondendum, compelling the answer of the defendant, is allowable only in actions of tort, such as the present suit.

Harry S. Hyman, who represents the firm, refused to discuss the case, and every effort was made to keep the affair secret.

P. D. ARMOUR SELLS MANY LOTS

Transfers Forty-three on the West Side to Frank Sturges of Elmhurst—Suits Against Metropolitan L.

Philip D. Armour has transferred to Frank Sturges of Elmhurst, Ill., forty-three lots in the block bounded by Western avenue, West Fifteenth street, Campbell avenue, and Rebecca street, for $40,000. The deed filed yesterday bears date of March 26.

A number of damage suits against the Metropolitan Elevated are reported as being prepared for filing previous to May 6, after which date all claims for property damages along the line of the railroad will be barred by the statute of limitations. None of the many damage suits against the elevated roads have yet been carried to the State Supreme Court. The cost of filing papers in a damage suit is $11, and the only benefit to be derived at present from such litigation is the keeping alive of claims. Recently a judgment of $4,000 for damages was secured against the road, and afterwards was compromised for $3,000. This is the first case of the kind known to have been compromised.

G. Blucker Read has purchased from Stephen H. Harrington the premises at 344 Warren avenue, 22x124 feet, and property in Riverside for $60,000.

John Rawle has conveyed to August Turner the property at the southeast corner of Morgan and Fourteenth place, west front, 150x115 feet, for $36,500.

WAR ON HYDE PARK SALOONS.

Protests Filed Against Three Requiring Them to File New Petitions, Which May Be Hard to Get.

Protests were filed yesterday with City Controller Brandecker against three Hyde Park saloons. This will require them under the law, as interpreted by the Supreme Court, to file petitions from property-owners on both sides of the streets in the blocks in which they are located. The saloons against which protests are made are:

F. Goedecke, 5008 Cottage Grove avenue.
F. W. Klein, 5014 Cottage Grove avenue.
Charles Nottbohm, 5034 Cottage Grove avenue.

The residents in the district, according to the officers of the Hyde Park Protective association, will attempt to stop the operation of other saloons, including the Heidelberg Garden at the entrance to Washington Park.

WOMEN HELD FOR GAMBLING.

Caught in Raid on Alleged Bucket Shop in W. R. Fitzwilliams' Rialto Building Office.

Seventeen women and men were arrested in an alleged bucket shop in the Rialto Building yesterday morning and taken in patrol wagons to the Harrison Street Police Station, where they were locked up until they could secure freedom on bonds. The place raided was in room 519, the office of W. R. Fitzwilliams, who claims to be a member of the Board of Trade. Fitzwilliams was not in the office at the time of the raid, being ill, it was stated, at his house, 2063 West Monroe street. The raid was made at the instance of Mrs. Richard Ingalise of the Morrison Hotel, who says that Fitzwilliams swindled her out of $1,200 on fictitious stock deals.

CLAIM OF FRAUD IN PAY-ROLL.

Civil Service Commission Demands an Investigation in a New Case.

The municipal Civil Service commission has unearthed something that looks like fraud in the pay-rolls of the Water department. A letter has been sent to Commissioner McGann calling for an investigation and, if possible, the apprehension of the person who received pay in the name of Edward Hartnett, though the latter asserts he never had been employed. This discovery and recent charges filed with the commission have led to the belief that there may be many cases of this nature.

The letter sent to Commissioner McGann by President Lindblom of the commission is as follows:

"On May 1, 1899, Edward Hartnett, a water pipe inspector, was certified to the Bureau of Engineering. His employment was reported to us on May 3, 1899. He was laid off for lack of work on July 3, 1899, and the facts as he states them to us are that he was never given employment, and yet we find on the pay-roll for the month ending May 15 that somebody drew pay in the name of Edward Hartnett for twelve days and that somebody signed the pay-roll 'Ed Hartnett.' We also find on the roll, ending June 15, somebody drew pay on the name of Edward Hartnett for twenty-seven days, amounting to $81, and the signature is in a different handwriting from that on the pay-roll of May 15. On the face of it, it looks as if some one was drawing pay in the name of Edward Hartnett when he was not in the service of the city. These pay-rolls were certified to H. C. Alexander, assistant engineer, and George E. West, inspector."

"I shall take up this matter with the commission and a thorough investigation will be made," said Commissioner McGann.

WILL OPEN BIG POWER PLANT.

Armour & Co. to Supersede Steam with Electricity Tomorrow—Banquet Planned for Sixty Guests.

When the whistle on Armour & Co.'s new power-house is blown at 11 o'clock tomorrow the belts will be slipped on the dynamos and in less than a minute electricity will supersede steam as the motive power of all the machinery in the sixty-two-acre tract of the company's packing-house, factories, glue, felt, and fertilizer works.

The new power-house is at Forty-third street and Packers avenue, and it contains a complete generating plant. It cost $1,000,000 and required months to build and install the heavy machinery.

To mark the opening of the plant Armour & Co. have arranged for a banquet to be given for sixty guests, who are to come from all parts of the United States. A special train will leave on the Lake Shore from the Van Buren street depot at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow and go direct to the yards, where buses will be in waiting to convey the guests to the power-house. After the power has been turned on the visitors will be the guests of J. Ogden Armour at luncheon in the new house. Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus and staff of the Armour Institute are to be among the number present. The plant covers some 40,000 square feet.

H. H. HAMMOND IN BANKRUPTCY.

Largest Creditors Are His Lawyers in the John T. Shayne Shooting Case.

H. H. Hammond, who was acquitted last November on his trial charged with shooting John T. Shayne, confessed insolvency in the United States District Court yesterday and asked to be relieved of liabilities amounting to $12,560. Mr. Hammond is in the tailoring business at 189 Wabash avenue, and most of the debts were contracted about 1895. His largest creditors are the lawyers who defended him during the trial.

DR. BROWN GIVES UP PULPIT.

Green Street Pastor Announces His Retirement from the Congregational Church—Is Asked to Continue.

Dr. C. O. Brown, pastor of the Green Street Congregational Church, announced his resignation and retirement from the ministry to the members of his church last night. The congregation unanimously adopted a resolution declining to accept the resignation and asking Dr. Brown to reconsider the matter. Dr. Brown said he had no idea what he would do in future; he might return again to the ministry, but not to the Congregational.

BULLETIN OF
The Daily Tribune.

CHICAGO, THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1900.

Weather predictions for the next 24 hours:
Fair and warmer Thursday; probably fair Friday.
Sun rises at 5:14; sets at 6:45.
Moon sets at 0:19 a. m. tomorrow.

IMPORTANT NEWS AND FEATURES

Pages.
1 Dr. E. B. Andrews Resigns.
Engaged to Marry D'Essauer.
Woman Held for Big Debt.
Buller's Recall Now Expected.
2 Carter in South Chicago.
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To Be Firm with Turkey.
3 London Times' Foreign News.
Riot After Mareuil Mass.
Earl Russell Weds Again.
Seeks Damage from Spain.
Talmage Says McKinley Is Sure.
Humbert Going to Naples.
Mayor Calls Labor Conference.
4 Baseball Season Opens Today.
The Conqueror Is Again Beaten.
5 General News of New York.
7 To Call Gates to Account.
Reviewers Cut Realty Assessments.
8 Indiana's Wheat Crop Injured.
12 May Not Reduce War Tax.
Sharp Words in the House.

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6 Editorial.
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
BOULOGNE		Batavia.
BREMEN	Kaiser W. der G.	
CHERBOURG	Phœnicia	
GLASGOW	Sarmatian	
GLASGOW	Grecian	
LIVERPOOL		Belgenland.
LONDON	Manitou	
MOVILLE	Ethiopia	
NEW YORK	Amsterdam	Oceanic.
NEW YORK	Cuflc	New York.
NEW YORK		Westernland.
NEW YORK	Teutonic	
NEW YORK	Bremen	
ROTTERDAM	Rotterdam	
SOUTHAMPTON		Saale.
S THAMPTON	St. Louis	

BULLER'S RECALL NOW EXPECTED.

Speculation as to Full Effect of Lord Roberts' Report the Absorbing Topic in London.

FACTS COME TO LIGHT.

Story Current That Staffs of Buller and Warren Are Not on Speaking Terms as Result of Defeat.

ALL WAR NEWS IS STOPPED.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY ARTHUR L. CLARKE.]

LONDON, April 19, 3 a. m.—What will be the result of Lord Roberts' sensational dispatches is the topic of the hour here and is overshadowing all other war news.

A rumor emanating from highest quarters says positively that Buller's recall is only a question of a short time, and already Warren's recall is mentioned as having been issued.

Officers, of course, will not talk over their names, but provided their identity is concealed are ready enough to express themselves.

Officer Condemns Publication.

Said one of high standing: "For what occult reason has this dispatch been disinterred, reviving wretched memories and stirring up, as it must, so much hatred, malice, and uncharitableness? Only one plausible explanation has been offered, but that only makes the matter worse.

"It has been suggested that a further change of commands at the front is visible, and no better way could be found of removing Buller or getting him to resign.

"If this is the intention it is an unworthy one and cannot be too strongly condemned, but something of the kind is surely in the wind, and the public may look for further surprises."

Staffs Not on Speaking Terms.

Among other stories set afloat by the publication of the dispatches is one that Buller's staff and Warren's staff are not on speaking terms since the Spion Kop affair, and the confusion arising has cost so many lives that there was no alternative but to publish the reason pending the recalls. This is also said to be the explanation of Buller's inactivity since the relief of Ladysmith, and that Roberts' orders have kept him still.

British Stores Going South.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, April 19, 4:10 a. m.—Heavy rains impede the movements of the British columns. The blockade of Wepener continues, although relief is near. Large quantities of stores are being moved southward from Bloemfontein, which is a reversal of the course of freight for the last six weeks. These shipments are made necessary by the operations in the southeast of the Free State.

There are 2,000 sick in the field hospitals, most of the cases being dysentery and enteric fever.

With the exception of these facts the embargo upon war intelligence is almost complete. The special correspondents send trivialities or statements which obscure rather than explain the situation in their efforts to prepare matter that will pass the censor. Here and there a phrase indicates an expectancy that large things are about to happen.

Comment on Roberts' Report.

What is to be done with Sir Redvers Buller and Sir Charles Warren occupies everybody's attention. The papers continue to comment earnestly upon Lord Roberts' censure of these commanders. They ask if more errors are not likely to occur, together with fruitless waste of life, in the event that men who have been declared incompetent by their superior continue to command 40,000 troops.

It is now generally accepted that the government had a purpose in the publication of Lord Roberts' dispatch and that the recall of General Buller and General Warren has probably been decided upon.

To Form Foreign Legion.

According to Boer reports there is a steady flow of foreign volunteers to the Transvaal. Hitherto these adventurers have been attached to the various commandos. Now it is said they are to be formed into a special legion, with continental officers, and there is a rumor that the command will be given to a distinguished French soldier, lately retired, who is now in the Transvaal or is nearing the end of the journey thither.

Presumably the officer referred to in this report is General de Negrier, former member of the French Supreme Council of War, who was removed from the active list last July by the Marquis de Gallifet as a disciplinary measure during the excitement arising from the Dreyfus court-martial.

Spion Kop Report the Only Topic.

LONDON, April 18.—All afternoon papers comment at length on the strictures of the British Commander-in-Chief in south Africa, taking the same lines as the morning papers, praising Lord Roberts for his frankness and speculating upon what the publication of the dispatches at the present moment portends.

Says Buller Must Resign.

Some of them maintain there is nothing left for General Buller but to resign. The St. James' Gazette is particularly scathing. Referring to General Buller's report, it says:

"Never in the history of armies did it happen that Generals scribbled their confessions of failure and defeat, of useless deaths of men, and of discredit to the flag in a manner which suggests a careful selection from the forced jocularity of the funny man, the slangy chatter of the horsey woman, and the gabble of the smoking-room late in the evening."

The Globe declares that "a more pitiable record of indecision in plan and confusion in execution we have seldom read," and adds that what little reputation General Buller had left has been scattered to the winds.

Insist Warren Is Recalled.

It is persistently stated in military circles that Lieutenant General Sir Charles Warren, the commander of the Fifth Division of the south African field force, has been ordered to return home.

It is said that a peremptory order for Gen-

ral Warren's return was cabled to south Africa this morning.

The War office declined to give any information in regard to the current reports that General Warren had been recalled.

Colonel Crofton, who was in command at Spion Kop from the time General Woodgate was wounded until Colonel Thornycroft was appointed to the position, and whose heliograph messages to General Warren caused General Buller to appoint Thornycroft to the command, was placed on half pay today.

Gatacre on Way Home.

Private information received from Shrewsbury today is to the effect that General Gatacre is leaving south Africa this week to resume command of a local district.

Scant News Allowed to Pass.

Practically no developments have been reported so far in today's south African cables.

A dispatch from Warrenton, dated Tuesday, April 17, says:

"Finding the Boers busy making new trenches, we exploded lyddite shells, following up these with the Maxims. The enemy's ambulance was afterwards observed on the spot."

From Wepener there is nothing later than Lord Roberts' message of yesterday, and, presumably, neither side has gained any particular advantage at any point in the theater of war since the last official dispatches were received.

Dalgety Holds On at Wepener.

A dispatch from Maseru says: "Colonel Dalgety's casualties since he has been besieged at Wepener have been 20 killed and 100 wounded. The Boer losses are reported to have been considerably heavier.

"After the night attack on April 12 the dead were left on the field, where they still lie unburied.

"There is a conflict of opinion among the leaders. Some want to attack again, while others refuse to do so. Desultory cannon firing and 'sniping' continue.

"The Caledon is rising, which alarms the Boers, as they are now on both sides of the river and might be cut off if the stream was to become flooded.

"Five Boer guns are believed to be disabled."

A Pretoria dispatch says: "The latest official reports from the Orange Free State are to the effect that General De Wet is still surrounding Brabant's (Dalgety's) forces, though the British are strongly intrenched in Boer fashion, indicating that they are colonials.

"Commandant Fronemann reports that he chased 400 troops across the river in the direction of Aliwal North, capturing several prisoners.

"It is said that Bethulie bridge has been blown up."

Boers Trying to Bribe Natives.

The Morning Post has the following from Bloemfontein, dated Tuesday:

"In view of the advisability of a retreat through Swaziland, emissaries of the Boers are now endeavoring to purchase secret information concerning caverns in the Greystone country, which are only known to the natives, with the object of accumulating provisions and ammunition.

"Large quantities of British forage and stores were dispatched to the south yesterday."

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post, telegraphing Tuesday, April 17, says: "The town has been drenched with rain during the last three days, which has caused the greatest discomfort, especially as the Thirteenth Brigade is not provided with tents."

Expert Chafes at British Delay.

Spenser Wilkinson in the Morning Post today criticises the delay in the British offensive operations caused by the Boer raids in the southern part of the Free State and the necessity of relieving Wepener. He regards the raids as designed to recommandeer the surrendered Free-Staters, and adds:

"These Boer measures can only be effectively stopped by defeating and destroying the Boer army in the field. Delay in offensive operations is, as a rule, equivalent to a victory for the defenders, and the present general halt has lasted a long time."

Mr. Wilkinson proceeds to criticise the omission to supply the needful remounts, clothing, boots, and stores, and the rolling stock to convey these to Bloemfontein. Precisely the same reasons, he remarked, have prevented the relief of Mafeking, and concludes thus:

"But fate is against the British army, and one would like to know who helps fate in these affairs."

SEES DANGER IN BOER MISSION.

Writer in Figaro Says if Russia Thinks as St. Petersburg Press Does It Is a Serious Affair.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY GRACE CORNEAU.

PARIS, April 19.—Concerning the Boer mission in Europe, M. Valfrey, in the Figaro, writes: "I believe the mission has above all instruction to be near Germany or Russia when the day approaches for the negotiations between England and the republics."

Valfrey never believed in the possibility of the intervention of diplomats in Europe, but says, however, it is possible such intervention might take place if the Russian Anglophobia, as expressed by its press, is the sentiment of the Cabinet at St. Petersburg. Should this be the case, he says, then the least movement of the Boer mission is of the gravest importance and should be closely watched.

OFFERED TO PAY BERNE AWARD

Boers Said to Have Made Proposal to Loan Portugal Amount Necessary to Satisfy Claims.

PRETORIA, April 18.—As soon as the Berne award in the Delagoa Bay railway arbitration was published the Transvaal government offered to lend Portugal the amount she was condemned to pay ($5,000,000), which, however, was courteously declined, the statement being made the money was already provided.

The government is receiving many memorials from burghers on the subject of sending the Boer prisoners to St. Helena and will formally protest to Great Britain on the subject.

Secretary of State Reitz says the Transvaal government is not taking any resolution regarding the destruction of the mines.

YOUNG DOCTORS GET DEGREES.

Commencement Exercises of the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Central Music Hall.

The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the University of Illinois held its eighteenth annual commencement exercises last evening at Central Music Hall. It was the first class graduated under the management of the State University, and was the largest in the history of the institution, 136 students receiving degrees. Of these six were women. The doctorate address was delivered by Victor C. Vaughn, dean of the School of Medicine and Surgery of the University of Michigan. President Draper of the University of Illinois presented the diplomas. The valedictorian was Henry E. Twohig.

Professor G. F. Butler delivered the charge to the class. H. E. Twohig, the valedictorian, responded.

During the evening the Ad Eundem degree was conferred upon Dr. George F. Butler of Chicago. Honorary degrees were conferred on Dr. Victor C. Vaughn of Ann Arbor, Mich.; Dr. William E. Quine, and Dr. John B. Murphy.

CARTER AT THE CALUMET

ADDRESSES A MEETING OF SOUTH CHICAGO PEOPLE.

S. W. Allerton and John H. Hamline Also Talk—Twenty - fourth Ward Club Will Meet Tonight to Take a Stand on Gubernatorial Campaign and Sentiment Is Thought to Be Almost Unanimous—Hanecy Speaks in Three Halls—Political News.

The Carter forces entered South Chicago last evening, holding a mass-meeting in the Calumet Theater. Tonight the Twenty-fourth Ward Republican club will meet in the North Side Turner Hall to take a stand in the Gubernatorial campaign. The meeting is called as the result of a conference at which it was reported that sentiment was almost unanimous for Carter.

Judge Orrin N. Carter, Samuel W. Allerton, and John H. Hamline addressed the Calumet Theater meeting, which was attended by above 600 South Chicagoans. In his speech Judge Carter advocated having both political parties hold their primaries on the same day and at the same places. By so doing, he said, clean primaries would be favored, as the Democratic machine workers would not be able to help out the Republican machine workers nor the Republicans the Democrats. Non-partisan judges, he said, should be in charge of the booths.

John H. Hamline earnestly advocated the candidacy of Judge Carter for Governor. Judge Carter, he said, had proved a clean and upright County Judge, the most difficult of all the Judgeships to hold free from politics. The present primary law, he said, was due to the earnest and unremitting efforts of Judge Carter in its behalf. Discussing Judge Hanecy, Mr. Hamline asserted that most of the men at the head of his campaign had a tainted political record, belonged to the cohorts of "Billy" Lorimer, and were men who had been instrumental in the drafting and passage of the Allen law. That measure, he said, Judge Carter had fought from its inception to the best of his ability, and its repeal was due largely to his efforts.

S. W. Allerton Speaks.

Samuel W. Allerton made the principal speech of the evening, deprecating the fact that the nominations of men for office were controlled by a few people, and setting forth that the candidacy of Judge Carter for the nomination of the Republican party for Governor gave voters a chance to put a man in Springfield who would be the right man and the best man in the right place. He continued:

"A machine has grown up in both the Republican and Democratic parties, and the people are tired of having two or three men meet and dictate as to who shall hold office and administer the affairs of the State. The political bosses think that the people of the State of Illinois are cattle to be yarded at will for their benefit. Judge Carter has volunteered to be our candidate, and a great opportunity is offered the people to put him—a man of pure character and a man big enough to hold himself above machine rule—at the head of their affairs."

William Sippel was chairman of the meeting. Among those who attended were T. C. Reeves, Edwin A. Munger, Simeon Hill, and William D. Washburn.

Twenty-fourth Ward Meeting.

The Twenty-fourth Ward conference was attended by twenty-four active Republicans who had been investigating the feeling of the members of the party on the Governorship question. Their reports were to the effect that the sentiment of the Republicans of the ward was practically unanimous in favor of Judge Carter. On a poll twenty-two of those present advised in favor of the club's indorsing Judge Carter and nominating a ticket of delegates to the State convention instructed in his interest. Only two advocated nominating an uninstructed ticket.

Every endeavor has been made to secure a large attendance at the club meeting tonight, so that its expression may be in the fullest sense that of the club. Every member who is friendly to the candidacy of Judge Carter is urged to attend and express himself, so there can be no doubt of the sentiment of the ward in the matter. Whatever strength the machine can show in the ward undoubtedly will be on hand to take advantage of a possibly small meeting in the interest of Judge Hanecy, and the wish of those calling the gathering is that every member of the club turn out and make his and the club's position clear.

Movements on the North Side.

A movement in favor of Judge Carter has been started in the Thirty-second Precinct of the Twenty-sixth Ward independent of the Carter headquarters and a meeting called for Montrose and Hermitage avenues this evening.

Dr. Henry W. Lambden of the Twenty-third Ward has started a movement in that bailiwick in favor of Judge Carter and promises to make a lively primary fight of it. The Twenty-third Ward is now the only one on the North Side in which the machine has any hopes of getting delegates to Peoria for Hanecy.

Merit Boards Oppose Carter.

The County Civil Service commission has asked County Attorney Johnson for an opinion as to its right to place the Election Commissioners' offices under the merit system. Commissioner W. A. Lantz, Democratic member of the commission, goes farther and insists that the Election Commissioners should not be appointed by the County court, but selected through civil service examinations. In some quarters this is regarded as an attack on County Judge Carter by followers of Congressman Lorimer and other backers of Judge Hanecy's candidacy. The City Civil Service commission will raise the point as to whether the Election Commisioners' offices should be under the city or the county merit board. They, too, show a spirit of opposition to Judge Carter.

The facts are this whole matter was thrashed out two years ago, and it was held then by the lawyers that, inasmuch as the Election Commissioners' office was a dual affair, being supported by both city and county, it did not come within the control of either Civil Service commission.

CONGRESSMAN REEVES IN TOWN

He Returns from Washington to Look After His Campaign—Starts for Peoria Today.

Congressman Reeves returned from Washington yesterday to look after his campaign, and will go to Peoria this morning.

ADDRESSED BY JUDGE HANECY.

Three Meetings in the Thirty-first Ward Listen to Speeches—Total Attendance Is 650.

Judge Hanecy, escorted by Alderman Badenoch and R. M. Patterson, made three speeches last night in the Thirty-first Ward, finishing at 11:45 o'clock. The first talk was in the Linden Theater, Sixty-third street and Wentworth avenue, 800 men and four women attending; the second in Hesperian Hall, Sixty-ninth street and Ashland avenue, 200 men attending; and the third in Cyclist Hall, Sixty-fifth street, near Wentworth avenue, 150 men attending.

Among the many sentences uttered by Judge Hanecy were these:

"I was made a candidate by the people of this Congressional district.

"I was a candidate before the so-called machine supported me.

"I am supported by the machine because the latter is doing the will of the people.

"I promise, if I am elected Governor, that I will ask the federal government to improve the Chicago River. I will do what I can to have the tunnels lowered and the river widened.

"I was the umpire for the bricklayers and the contractors, and while I acted as such there were no strikes.

"I would not promise the machine anything if I could be elected Governor of the State of Illinois or President of the United States."

Lorimer to the "Workers."

Congressman Lorimer, manager of the Hanecy campaign, called a meeting of the "workers" of the Fifth Congressional District at Hanecy headquarters and, with the exception of the men identified with Henry Herts in the Thirteenth and Sixteenth Wards, there was a good attendance. The purpose of the meeting was to impress on the minds of the workers that this is the hardest fight the machine has ever had.

A Hanecy meeting will be held in Princess Rink, West Madison street, this evening.

KERN IS NAMED FOR CONGRESS.

Democrats Nominate Candidates in the Twenty-first Illinois District.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION RESULTS.

Instructed for Reeves	129
Instructed for Yates	117
Instructed for Hanecy	23
Instructed for Brown	7
Contested	46
Uninstructed	431
Delegates selected	747
Delegates to State convention	1,502
Delegates yet to be chosen	785

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS TODAY.

Peoria County	At Peoria
Mercer County	At Aledo
Tazewell County	At Pekin

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Centralia, Ill., April 18.—Fred J. Kern of Belleville was today nominated as the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Twenty-first District.

In today's convention the Hull delegation from Marion was seated as against the Merritt party. The Senatorial convention for the Forty-second District meets in Salem tomorrow, and Merritt and Hull will fight it out there.

Member State Board.

There was a lively fight over the choice of a candidate for the State Board of Equalization, an office which, by the way, is more eagerly sought than ever before. The candidates were William A. Campbell of Randolph, Joseph W. Drury of Monroe, John W. Larimer of Marion, and Nick Wooler of Clinton.

Campbell's name was withdrawn on the second ballot, and Drury won with all ease, receiving 128 votes, twenty-seven more than a majority of the convention.

POPULISTS DENOUNCE BRYAN.

Convention in Missouri Links Him with Rockefeller as Trust Supporters.

Kansas City, Mo., April 18.—Middle of the road Populists, at their mass convention today, effected a permanent State organization and adopted a new name—the Progressive People's party. The name will be presented to the national convention for ratification. The platform demands legislation on lines indicated in the Omaha platform, urges the reduction of State and county salaries to correspond with the prices paid for products, denounces both the old parties for failure to enact initiative and referendum legislation, for protection of corporation interests, and for legislation for protection of national banks; condemns William J. Bryan and John D. Rockefeller for their alleged connections with trusts, and especially censures the Democratic State administration because of its "disregard for paramount interests of the people."

A full State ticket, headed by Richard Thomas of Saline County for Governor, was named, and the convention selected twenty-five delegates to the Cincinnati convention and sixteen candidates for Presidential Electors.

Carl Browne of Coxey army fame was invited to address the morning session, and caused consternation among the adherents of Wharton Barker of Pennsylvania when he strongly advocated Admiral Dewey as the head of the Populist national ticket.

The delegates to the Cincinnati convention were instructed to vote, first and last, for Wharton Barker for President and Ignatius Donnelly for Vice President.

VERMONT REPUBLICANS MEET.

State Convention Advocates Expansion and Commends President McKinley's Administration.

Burlington, Vt., April 18.—The Republican State convention today selected General J. G. McCullough, Lieutenant Governor Henry C. Bates, Edward Wells, and Lamont M. Read as delegates to the national convention. The delegation was not instructed.

Concerning the recently acquired islands the platform says:

We believe that this country should manfully accept and shoulder the increased duties and responsibilities that have come to it during the present administration, through the wish and free choice of the people concerned in the accession of the Hawaiian Islands, through the fortunes of war, and as the glorious fruit of the heroic achievements of American sailors and soldiers in the island possessions that became ours by the terms of our treaty with Spain. So long as any of the inhabitants of any of these islands continue in acts of insurrection against the authority of the United States, it is the duty of the government to quell such insurrection and to establish there tranquility and order.

The resolutions conclude by indorsing "the wise, able, and patriotic administration of our great President."

END OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

New York Republican Organization Will Work Without Any Outside Aid.

New York, April 18.—[Special.]—The Republican State committee organized this morning by electing Benjamin B. Odell chairman, Reuben L. Fox secretary, and E. A. McAlpin treasurer. It decided the Advisory committee, heretofore consisting of Thomas C. Platt, Chauncey M. Depew, Edward Lauterbach, Frank Hiscock, and Frank S. Witherbee, should not be continued.

Nominated for Congress.

State.	Dist.	Nominee.	Party.
Penn.	24	*E. F. Acheson	Rep.
Ohio	10	*Stephen Morgan	Rep.
Kas.	7	*Chester I. Long	Rep.
Kas.	7	Claude Duval	Dem.
Kas.	7	I. P. Campbell	Pop.
Mo.	14	N. A. Mosely	Rep.
Ill.	21	Fred. Kern	Dem.
N. J.	1	*Henry D. Loudenslager	Rep.

*Renominated.

To Go to Philadelphia.

State.	Dist.	Delegates.	Alternates.
Ohio	10	*R. M. Switzer. *O. B. Gould.	
Kas.	7	*E. Wall	W. Dixon
		*H. F. Milliken	D. Sabine
Mo.	14	M. E. Lemming. Guy Harrison.	
Penn.	24	*J. W. Murdock. *G. N. Von Bonnhorst.	
Vt.	At Large	J. G. McCullough. H. C. Bates. Edward Wells. L. M. Read.	

*Instructed for McKinley.

To Go to Kansas City.

State.	Dist.	Delegates.	Alternates.
Ohio	21	*Tom L. Johnson. *Harry Wilson.	

*Instructed for Bryan.

FUNERAL OF RUFUS WRIGHT.

He Is Buried Quietly at Akron—Mrs. Lottridge Denies Quarreling with Him Over Deed to Property.

Akron, O., April 18.—[Special.]—The funeral of Rufus Wright, the Chicago millionaire who was killed by a pistol shot fired while he was in the room of Mrs. Louise Lottridge last Saturday afternoon, took place in this city this morning. The services were of the simplest character. A quartet sang two selections and the Rev. Dr. Timothy E. Monroe of the First Congregational Church and Mr. Wright's pastor when he lived in Akron, made a prayer. The Rev. James V. Blake of Evanston, Ill., who was employed by Mr. Wright to dispense charity, spoke briefly. The body was interred in Glendale Cemetery, the pall-bearers being old employés of the Morgan & Wright factory.

A letter to THE TRIBUNE, signed "One Who Knows," says Mrs. Lottridge and Mr. Wright had disagreed somewhat of late because she wanted him to give her deeds to the Paw Paw Lake property and he refused to do it.

When Mrs. Lottridge, who is at the jail, was asked about this statement she replied: "That property belongs to me. I earned the money and paid for it myself. The papers are in my lawyer's hands."

She refused to tell from whom she bought it. She reiterates her statement that the shooting was accidental.

THINK STORER IN ERROR.

MINISTER'S APOLOGY TO SPANISH GOVERNMENT CRITICISED HERE.

Mayor Says That, Having Nothing to Do with Sending Dewey Invitation to Arcos He Ought to Be Exculpated—Hobart Chatfield-Taylor Says Ball Committee Is Guilty of a Blunder—Grand Army Committee to Invite the Duke.

The action of the United States Minister to Spain, Bellamy Storer, in presenting the regrets of this government for the Dewey day invitation sent to the Duke of Arcos is not regarded in Chicago as a brilliant diplomatic move. Mr. Storer, it is said, apologized to Minister Silvela for the action of Mayor Harrison in sending the invitation and promised that the incident should not be repeated.

Mayor Harrison states that in the first place he didn't send the invitation and knew nothing about it until the letter from the Duke drew from him an apology in behalf of the Dewey Day Invitation committee and the City of Chicago. It is pointed out that the incident, having occurred through the error of a clerk, was purely accidental, and Minister Storer's promise that it should not be repeated is trivial and evasive under the circumstances. The entire affair is regarded as a comedy of errors, with the Minister's apology capping the climax.

"Of course," said Mayor Harrison yesterday when shown the criticisms of the press, "the entire blame now falls upon the Mayor. I had no more to do with it than had a Digger Indian in a hut out West. The sending of the invitation was a mere accident. Through my official position, however, I attempted to smooth the incident over for all parties, and find myself in the position of the average peacemaker. I am jumped upon by every one. I see the London papers have taken the matter up, and I suppose they are so worked up that should I go to London I would fail to be received into the best society. Dear me."

Ball Committee Makes an Error.

Hobart C. Chatfield-Taylor, chairman of the Ball committee, regarded the incident as a mere accident, which should have been passed over without comment.

"A similar instance occurred in sending the invitations to the ball to the members of the corps," said Mr. Chatfield-Taylor. "We sent with the invitations the statement that tickets would be $10 each. Now the corps are accorded free tickets. The mistake was a clerical error, but might have been regarded by some captious recipients as a direct affront. To rectify the error we should have had to go through above 5,000 invitations. Instead of doing that, however, we concluded the error would be appreciated as such and simply mailed to the Ministers their complimentary tickets and let it go at that."

Letters acknowledging the receipt of the invitation to the Dewey day celebration, but regretting inability to attend, have been received from both the Danish and the Belgian Ministers.

Martin B. Madden, chairman of the Executive committee, says that committee is little concerned over sending the invitation to the Duke of Arcos. "It was a mistake which occurred through the strict interpretation of the order to send an invitation to every member of the diplomatic corps," said Mr. Madden.

Favor Change in Canal Trip.

The committee to report on the feasibility of taking the Admiral through the Chicago River and thence down the drainage canal took a trip along the route during the afternoon, and as a result seemed to favor taking the city's guest by train to Willow Springs and thence by boat.

Chief of Police Kipley has issued orders for a formal dress parade inspection of policemen and commanding officers on April 25, preliminary to Dewey day.

Grand Army to Invite the Duke.

Willim H. H. Harper, executive director of the local Grand Army committee, says that an invitation will be sent to the Duke of Arcos to come to the encampment. As the civil war is long past and Spain had nothing to do with it, the Grand Army men say, they hope to have better success in inviting the Duke than did the Dewey committee.

HAS APPROVAL IN WASHINGTON.

State Department Officials Say Course of Minister to Spain Is Correct.

Washington, D. C., April 18.—[Special.]—It is learned that no instructions were sent from Washington to Mr. Storer, the United States Minister at Madrid, relative to the presentation of regrets for the invitation to the Duke of Arcos, the Spanish Minister here, to attend the celebration in Chicago of the destruction of the Spanish fleet in Manila harbor. In other words, Mr. Storer acted according to his own judgment and upon his own responsibility. It is not to be inferred from this statement that his action, even if it is as reported, is disapproved here. On the contrary, it is declared that his course was in thorough accord with the proprieties of official etiquette, and that he showed excellent judgment in anticipating a complaint which would have been disagreeable to meet.

His course is closely akin to that pursued by Lord Pauncefote, the British Ambassador here, in regard to the alleged opening of Mr. Macrum's mail.

The officials are careful to make it clear that Mr. Storer did not make an apology in the name of his government, and they are confident that the Madrid dispatch conveys an erroneous impression on that point.

The Spanish Minister is satisfied with the explanation made by Mayor Harrison, and says he will not make any representations to the State department on the subject.

The whole occurrence emphasizes in the minds of the officials here the propriety of remitting to the State department any exchanges between the diplomatic body here and the promoters of celebrations—national, state, or municipal. It has only recently come to be the custom for the managers of ceremonials to address themselves directly to foreign representatives in Washington, and the department officials say much mischief may result from this laxity.

DOUBTS WIFE'S BIG HERITAGE.

Clinton S. Tomlinson Talks of Her Reported $1,000,000 Share in Fischer Estate in Holland.

Clinton S. Tomlinson, 144 Forty-second street, whose wife was reported to have inherited $1,000,000 from the estate of Ludwig Fischer, a Holland multi-millionaire, said last night there was little basis for the rumor. His wife is connected with the Eversole family, who are said to have been investigating their title to the estate, but he said the probability that she ever will realize anything from it is slight. "Even if there should be a division there are many heirs as near as my wife, and her share would not be so large a sum," he said.

GLAD MICHIGAN LAW IS VOID.

South Water Street Fruit Men Rejoice Over Decision Against $5,000 Bond Requirement.

There was joy on South Water street yesterday over advices from St. Joseph, Mich., that Judge Orville W. Coolidge of Berrien Circuit Court had declared unconstitutional the law passed last summer requiring commission merchants and other fruit buyers to be bonded in the sum of $5,000. The decision was in a test case, William B. Thompson being the indicted party. The decision characterized the law as inconsistent and indefinite class legislation. The case now goes to the Michigan Supreme Court.

Alexander Jaxdrzewski Is Sentenced.

Alexander Jaxdrzewski was found guilty yesterday in Judge Brentano's court of the murder of Andrew Bruske, whom he shot on the night of Dec. 23. Defendant was sentenced to fourteen years in prison. The killing occurred during a scuffle at Fay and Platt streets.

Charousek, the Chess Player, Dead.

BUDA PESTH, April 18.—Charousek, the well-known chess player, is dead.

TALK OF CATHOLIC COLLEGES.

Delegates at Annual Conference Discuss Elective System—President Eliot Criticised.

The elective system of studies for colleges was the chief topic of interest yesterday at the first day's session of the annual conference of Catholic colleges of the United States, held at St. James' High School, Twenty-ninth street and Wabash avenue. Professor James A. Burns and Professor John Cavanaugh, who represent Notre Dame University, were practically alone in their arguments for the elective system. The Rev. Timothy Brosnahan criticised the Harvard system, declaring it had made college education a thing of shreds and patches, and made the recent Harvard degree of B. A. a symbol to other nations of how little such a degree is worth in America.

Fifty-three delegates from all parts of the United States are attending the conference. It is proposed to effect a permanent organization today, to be known as the "Association of Catholic Colleges of the United States. A committee was appointed to formulate the views of the conference on the elective system, and action will be taken on the matter today.

Defends the Elective System.

Professor Burns read a paper favoring the adoption of an elective system, saying:

"It will go far, I believe, towards checking the terrible drain of our best blood and brains to non-Catholic institutions."

The paper by Father Brosnahan of Woodstock College on "The Relative Merits of Courses in Catholic and Non-Catholic Colleges for the Baccalaureate" was entirely devoted to a discussion of the differences between Harvard University and Boston College. He said:

"We are informed that a course in which philosophy, logic, and religion form a necessary part of the curriculum is inferior to one in which these fundamental studies must depend on the coy favor of the young collegian. To ask us to believe this is to put too great a strain on our credulity, and we cannot seriously think that President Eliot's convictions on the matter are the result of personal investigation without discrediting his intelligence. On the other hand, we do not wish to credit his criticisms to unworthy motives. We shall therefore await proof or retraction."

Address by Mgr. Conaty.

At a public meeting held in the evening Mgr. Conaty spoke on "A Plea for the College Teacher." The whole question of collegiate success, he said, would seem to hinge upon the teacher, the dry wood of form counting for little with one who has the teaching spirit and is equipped for his work. The teacher has always been a power and an influence for good. He paid a tribute to the devotion and scholarship of the men who have laid the foundation of the present Catholic educational system.

OBJECTS TO VACATING SHACK.

M. Cohen, Pawnbroker in Desplaines Street, Compels Building Department to Call Police.

M. Cohen, a pawnbroker at 104 and 106 Desplaines street, thought the building he occupied was in satisfactory condition, and when men came to rebuild it yesterday, in accordance with orders of the Building department, he refused to admit them. Te police were called and then Cohen vacated. Thomas Kearns, owner of the building, had consented to the improvement.

Some difficulty is found in discovering the owners of buildings. Mrs. E. J. Nicols, 4331 Vincennes avenue, was notified that the building at 541 and 543 Clark street must be torn down. A letter was returned with the information that Mrs. Nicols was neither the agent nor the owner of the property. The Building department found that she was the last one who paid taxes on the building.

Notices have been sent to owners of buildings at 261 West Lake street, 97 West Monroe street, 111 Quincy street, southeast corner Lake and Sangamon streets, 133 to 137 West Monroe street, 456 Jackson boulevard, and northeast corner Quincy and Jefferson streets demanding the immediate tearing down of these buildings. The Fire department has been ordered to tear down the building at 202 Mather street.

TRUAX SENT TO INVESTIGATE.

Will Study Trade and Municipal Systems in Europe for the National Business League.

At a meeting of the Executive committee of the National Business league yesterday at the Wellington Hotel, Charles Truax was appointed special commissioner to visit all commercial centers of Europe to gather data concerning the various systems of foreign municipal and national government and studying general trade conditions and requirements abroad. Mr. Truax left yesterday for Washington and New York, and will sail on the Teutonic on April 25.

The movement now being made to reclaim the arid regions of the West by means of irrigation and conservation of its water supply was considered, and the following committee was appointed, with instructions to prepare resolutions in support of the movement: Elliott Durand, chairman; John W. Ela, Volney W. Foster, James Deering, E. A. Turner, F. C. Austin.

The committee unanimously adopted a resolution urging Congress to repeal the stamp tax act. The Loud postage bill was indorsed.

WOMAN'S CLUB IN POLITICS.

La Grange Organization Takes an Active Part in the Coming Election of School Trustees.

The La Grange Woman's club has entered the political field in that suburb. Election of School trustees will be held on Saturday and members of the club are canvassing the town and expect to take all the eligible women voters to the polls. The club is working for the reelection of the present members of the board—David B. Lyman, George O. Pratt, and N. H. Carpenter, secretary of the Art Institute.

Until recently there was no feeling but that the election on Saturday would take place as customary, with one ticket and no contests. Then the second, or young men's, ticket was announced, with the names of F. W. Beecroft, Ralph Wilson, and Frank J. Daly as candidates for trusteeships. The platform of the new candidates demands investigation of school affairs and publication of School board minutes.

THREE MORE STEAMERS CLEAR.

Gordon Campbell, Penobscot, and Yale Start Down the Lakes—Scheduled to Leave Today.

The steamer Gordon Campbell followed the Jesse Spalding down the lakes early yesterday morning and the Penobscot and Yale got away from South Chicago during the forenoon. The Charles Eddy, Mecosta, Nyanza, Uganda, Gogebic, and Biwabik are scheduled to start this morning from Chicago River, and the Senator, St. Paul, and Phenix from the Calumet.

A tug was sent into the ice at Buffalo during the day, and although of good power could get only four miles away from the piers. The ice extends clear up to Conneaut.

Saturday will see another lot of clearances and the middle of next week the fleet will be under way.

Dies Before Suit Is Heard.

Lancaster O., April 18.—The divorce case of Moses Swift against Martha Swift was to be heard here today, and the defendant arrived from Chicago yesterday to fight the case. This morning the plaintiff died with the defendant on her knees at his bedside praying for his restoration.

Mouravieff Goes to Moscow.

PARIS, April 19.—Count Mouravieff, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, is going to join Emperor Nicholas at Moscow. This is looked upon here as being possibly connected with some idea of intervention in south Africa.

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TO BE FIRM WITH TURKEY

AMERICAN CLAIMS ON THE PORTE NOT TO BE DROPPED.

Relations Between the United States and the Ottoman Empire Admitted to Be Exceedingly Grave, but Suggestion That Port of Smyrna Be Seized Not Likely to Be Adopted at Present—Views of Minister Straus on the Situation.

Washington, D. C., April 18.—The relations between Turkey and the United States are admitted to be grave, but the suggestion that a fleet may be ordered to seize the port of Smyrna and collect the customs revenues until the claims of American citizens are satisfied is not likely to be adopted, only as a last resort.

President Angell, after trying his hand at collection for two years, recommended that a United States warship be sent to seize Smyrna and collect revenues at the customhouse there sufficient to meet our claims. This suggestion was not seriously entertained. A bombardment by an American fleet might result in a pretty bill for damages against the United States. Then, as there is still a remnant of a Turkish navy, the United States would have to send a squadron instead of a single warship.

Such a movement would, without doubt, be resented by the rest of Europe, which could not contemplate with equanimity an action by the United States that would perhaps destroy the fruits of many years' work of the great European statesmen by precipitating a final crisis in Turkey.

Therefore, the next step to be taken by the government will not be warlike, but will still suggest in a most dignified manner the indignation felt by the United States at the betrayal of Turkish promises.

Minister Straus' Views.

New York, April 18.—The Herald tomorrow will say:

Oscar S. Straus, Minister from the United States to Turkey, is at his home in this city. It is understood that he is to remain here until the claim dispute is settled.

When Mr. Straus found that the Sultan, despite his personal pledge to pay the claims, which had, at his solicitation been reduced from more than $300,000 to $100,000, was bent on continuing his policy of delay, he sent a dispatch to Washington, relating the facts of the negotiations, and offering his immediate resignation. The resignation, if accepted, would have been tantamount to a direct challenge to the Sublime Porte.

The administration was not prepared, however, to take so positive a step, and asked Mr. Straus to permit his resignation to remain unacted upon, and to retire from Constantinople until the affair might be adjusted amicably or by firm pressure upon the Sultan. It is understood, therefore, that the absence of Minister Straus from Constantinople is notice to the Sultan of the displeasure of this country.

Mr. Straus says:

"I regard the situation as grave unless the Sultan promptly makes good his promises.

"The Sultan has made the promise to pay the indemnity claims three times—first, shortly after my arrival there in December, 1898; second, about six months thereafter; and third, a short time before I left. I have always been well disposed toward Turkey and I regard the Sultan as an intelligent monarch, and I trust that he will show that intelligence by satisfying our claims and not wait until it is too late."

Dr. Angell Talks of the Claims.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 18.—[Special.]—Dr. Angell, President of the University of Michigan, the predecessor of Minister Strauss to Turkey, when asked today about the payment of the American claims against Turkey, said: "This is a delicate matter for me to discuss, as I had so much to do with these claims while I was in Constantinople. I can say, however, that I have always thought they would ultimately be paid, and still think so. When you ask me if the drastic measures talked about will be necessary to enforce payment I have nothing to say. I do not know about that."

School Girl's Food

A Very

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for

Growing Girls

A little girl in Providence, R. I., high school, was badly run down, owing to the fact that she was not properly fed. When her parents discovered the value of Grape-Nuts food, she quickly recovered. Her father's letter is as follows:

"Without any desire whatever for publicity—in fact, with every desire to avoid it, I yet would like you to know of the following in reference to Grape-Nuts.

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"Three months ago, she began to carry Grape-Nuts instead of her meat sandwiches, and now will not forego them. She says she can stand the after study on them better and has no sense of exhaustion on reaching home, although always able to enjoy her meal, as her appetite is good.

"We regard this as strong testimony in favor of Grape-Nuts, and if you can use it without publishing our names, we shall be pleased to have you do it, and will further say that we shall be glad to answer questions on the subject through the mails. We have used Grape-Nuts as an article of diet for nearly two years. Yours truly."

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6.30 PM NORTH-WESTERN LIMITED. Eau Claire, St. Paul, Minneapolis.
6.30 PM OVERLAND LIMITED. Omaha in Three Days. All points on the Pacific, Salt Lake City, Omaha, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles.
8.00 PM PENINSULA EXPRESS. Fox River points, Green Bay, Ishpeming, Marquette, Copper Country.
10.00 PM DULUTH AND ST. PAUL FAST MAIL. Janesville, Madison, Eau Claire, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth.
10.15 PM NIGHT EXPRESS. Janesville, Madison, Eau Claire, Winona, LaCrosse, Dakotas, St. Paul, Minneapolis.
10.30 PM PACIFIC EXPRESS. Rock Island, Davenport, Omaha, Black Hills, Denver, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles.
10.30 PM IRON RANGE EXPRESS. Fox River points, Green Bay, Menominee, Iron Mountain, Florence, Hurley.

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8.00 a. m., 7.00 a.m., 9.00 a. m., 11.30 a. m., 2.

LONDON TIMES' FOREIGN NEWS.

Dispatches from Vienna Warn Turkey to Pay Claims of United States.

EUROPE WILL NOT HELP.

If America Enforces Its Demands the Powers Will Not Interfere.

BRITISH MARCH ON WEPENER

The [illegible] Times.
LONDON.

THURSDAY (4 A. M.), APRIL 19.

[By cable to THE TRIBUNE.]

The Times this morning prints the following from its special correspondents:

VIENNA (Wednesday)—President McKinley has waited patiently eighteen months without any sign on the part of the Sultan that he intends to fulfill his obligations. What America proposes to do next, should the Porte hold out, is of course open to speculation; but if guided by precedents the government at Washington will not mince matters.

To mention one example, the Austro-Turkish incident which occurred in November, 1897, may be recalled. In consequence of the outrage on Herr Brazzafolli, the Austrian Lloyd agent at Mersina, energetic representations were made at the Porte by the Austrian Ambassador and promptly emphasized by an ultimatum. A torpedo cruiser was dispatched to Mersina to protect the consulate and Christian residents, and it would certainly have been followed by a respectable naval force had the Porte not yielded.

The vigorous action of the imperial royal government on that occasion met with general approval, besides the fact that the government had right entirely on its side was considered. Evil consequences might have resulted from the diplomatic triumph of the Padishah over one of the Christian powers.

By further resistance to the claims of the United States the Sultan exposes himself to grave consequences, which he has probably not foreseen. The United States is not accustomed to indulge in empty threats. What will be done in case its demand should not promptly be complied with has doubtless been decided.

Europe Will Not Interfere.

If the Sultan for a moment supposes that he will find protection in any of the European powers, let him think of Spain. The sympathy of more than one European government was on the side of the Spaniards during the late war, but even if America had sent a squadron to the Spanish coast there is no evidence to show that any of them would have intervened.

If the affair is not quickly settled it may assume an ugly aspect, and, in any case, immediate compliance with American claims can alone avert the possibility of complications which would certainly not turn to the advantage of Turkey.

General Chermside's Advance.

BLOEMFONTEIN (Wednesday) — Your correspondent with General Chermside reports that the Third Division has advanced about eight miles east of Reddersburg. There had been no further contact with the enemy up to midday of the 17th than reported on the previous day. The British are encamped in the vicinity of the spot where the Royal Irish Rifles surrendered. The troops arrived upon the ground to find the Boer bivouac of 400 men had just evacuated the place and the embers were still hot. It is believed that the enemy will hold Dewetsdorp, but it is possible the force there is simply covering the communications of those further south.

A heavy rain is now falling and doubtless will delay the movements on both sides.

Sharp Fight at Upington.

CAPE TOWN (Tuesday)—The correspondent at Upington telegraphs, under date of the 14th:

"A sharp engagement occurred yesterday at the pont over the Orange River, near Drachoender, which was held on the north side by Captain Green and forty of Orpen's Horse. The fighting lasted from 11 to 6. There were 200 Transvaalers, but our men, several of whom were dead shots, beat them off with loss. Our side lost one killed and two wounded, one mortally. The enemy were collecting dead and wounded all night and asked us for a doctor and ambulance.

"General Settle congratulated Major Orpen on the conduct of his men. It is supposed the enemy were Transvaalers who slipped into Griqualand when Lord Kitchener entered Prieska."

Turkey Ignores the Powers.

CONSTANTINOPLE (Tuesday)—Notwithstanding the two collective notes addressed to it by the Ambassadors of the powers, the Porte maintains its purpose of raising the ad valorem duties on May 14. The Ambassadors are now in conclave considering the subject.

GIVE CHICAGO CORPS MAUSERS

Report from South Africa Says Half the Ambulance Party Have Discarded Red Crosses.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY ARTHUR L. CLARKE.]

LONDON, April 19, 3 a. m.—A special to the Daily Mail from Lourenzo Marquez Wednesday says: "Nearly half the members of the Chicago ambulance corps which arrived here in the Caravellas on being offered Mausers on their arrival at Pretoria tore off their Red Cross badges.

"Adelbert Hay, the American Consul, has notified the Transvaal government that it will be necessary for him to report this circumstance to Washington.

"Two hundred and fifty Boers started today from Waterval Onder and are marching through Zoutspansberg in the hope of intercepting Carrington's force."

NEWS of EUROPE BY TRIBUNE CORRESPONDENTS

RIOT AT MAREUIL MASS.

ARMY MANIFESTATION FOLLOWS MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Horse Guards Called Out to Charge Crowd Cheering General Mercier Outside of Notre Dame Cathedral—One Police Agent Has Skull Fractured—Mounted Soldiers Ride into Mob, Sparing No One — Exposition Attendance Exceedingly Light.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY GRACE CORNEAU.]

PARIS, April 18.—The memorial service to Colonel Villebois Mareuil at Notre Dame Cathedral this morning ended in an immense Nationalist manifestation. The service was solemnly celebrated with great pomp and the clarion calls at the elevation and absolution were particularly impressive. The army and aristocracy were present in full force, and Generals Mercier and Billot were conspicuous. A large wreath from Prince Louis Napoleon occupied an important place on the bier.

Crowds Cheer the Army.

At the end of the ceremony the crowd leaving the church took up the cry of "Vive l'Armée," and on General Mercier's appearance shouts of "Vive Mercier" rang out on all sides. The police agents were hustled towards the General as the crowd tried to seize Mercier and carry him in triumph to his carriage.

The manifestation soon assumed such alarming proportions that word was quickly sent to the city barracks and a troop of Republican Horse Guards galloped to the scene and charged the crowd. They spared no one and worked quickly, making a break in the throng, while the police agents pommeled right and left.

Mob Uses Loaded Canes.

During the scuffle Seillan, an Under Brigadier of Police, was wounded by a blow from a loaded cane. The police seized his assailant and put him under arrest. Other Nationalists rushed on the police and freed their companion, raining blows with loaded canes on the heads of the police.

The Under Brigadier's forehead was knocked in and his skull fractured.

Hurries Mercier Away.

The riot appeared so serious that Commissioner of Police Orsati seized General Mercier by the arm and hurried the General to a cab on a side street, pushed him in, and ordered it to drive away as fast as it could go. Then the crowd commenced cheering Barratier, Marchand's companion, and Deroulede.

Horse Guards Disperse Crowd.

Four arrests were made, and by vigorous work the Horse Guards finally terminated the biggest army manifestation since General Marchand's arrival.

Exposition Business Is Dull.

The Queen of Saxony visited the exposition today. There were only 500 entrance tickets sold this morning, and the admissions for Monday and yesterday were way below the same days of the exposition of 1889.

Sculptor Survives Operation.

M. Falguieres, the sculptor, had a dangerous operation performed today, but is resting easy tonight.

Hang Chamberlain in Effigy.

The citizens of Saint Malo hung Joseph Chamberlain in effigy to the gate of the St. Vincent entrance to the city.

To Stop Automobile Races.

On account of the constant accidents the Prefect of the Department of Seine et Oise, near Paris, has forbidden automobile racing in the department. There is general protestation in France against allowing the machines to race on the high roads.

EARL WEDS IN NEVADA.

LORD RUSSELL IGNORES ENGLISH COURTS AND MARRIES AGAIN.

Unable to Secure Divorce or Even a Separation from Countess Now Singing in London Music Hall, He Takes Mollie Cooke for His Second Wife—News of Marriage at Reno, Nev., Last Saturday Causes Surprise in England—Statement of Counsel.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY ARTHUR L. CLARKE.]

LONDON, April 19.—An announcement published in the Times yesterday of the wedding of Earl Russell to Mollie Cooke at Reno, Nev., April 15 has caused no end of a flurry here. Several papers think the dispatch a hoax, while others believe the Earl has secured an American divorce, and thinks that is sufficient.

Lady Russell's Lawyers Talk.

The publication has provoked Velpy, Peckham, and Chaplin, solicitors for Countess Russell, to authorize the following statement: "We think it right to correct a serious misstatement which has appeared in several papers respecting the result of the late divorce proceedings between the Earl and Countess Russell.

"The result of these proceedings was that the House of Lords confirmed the judgment of the Court of Appeal by dismissing Earl Russell's petition for a judicial separation with costs, thus leaving the parties in the same position they were before the proceedings were commenced.

"The Earl and Countess Russell are still legally married, and there is no order of the divorce court either of divorce or judicial separation against either of them."

Has Had Troubled Career.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, April 18.—Earl Russell, according to the English law, is still legally married to the first Countess Russell, who is now performing at the Tivoli Music Hall.

The marital troubles of the Russells commenced in the courts in 1891, when the Countess, who is a daughter of the well known Lady Scott, applied for a separation from her husband on the ground of cruelty, which was refused. Four years later the same petition resulted in the defendant nobleman being granted a judicial separation. But further litigation and cross petitions followed. The litigation was ended by the Court of Appeal refusing relief to both parties, so they are still legally married.

The Westminster Gazette suggests Earl Russell may have secretly secured an American divorce. But it is pointed out that this would not save him from the penalties of the English courts.

Lady Scott said she and her daughter knew the Earl had been in America about a year, but they had heard nothing from him.

Friend Justifies Earl's Act.

A friend of Lord Russell, in confirming the announcement of the Earl's marriage, says: "For some time Lord Russell felt that his years of suffering and annoyance had released him from all obligations, moral or otherwise, connected with his first marriage, and, therefore, that he was free to do as he desired. I do not believe the question of bigamy will be raised, but at any rate Lord Russell and his bride are returning to England next month."

Married at Reno Saturday.

Reno, Nev., April 18.—A marriage license was issued to John Francis Stanley Russell and Mollie Cooke in this city on Saturday, April 14. They stopped at the Riverside Hotel on Saturday night, and were married on Sunday by Judge B. F. Curler. They left on Sunday night for the East, their destination being unknown.

Mollie Cooke's son, about 23 years of age, was with the couple. They came to Reno from Glenbrook, Nev., a small summer resort on the shores of Lake Tahoe.

Plague at Red Sea Ports.

CAIRO, April 18.—The bubonic plague is reported to have made its appearance at several ports on the Red Sea.

PRESSES CLAIM ON SPAIN.

BERLIN MERCHANT NOW SEEKS RELIEF IN REICHSTAG.

Fails in His Efforts to Have Payment for Rice Seized in Manila Withheld from Caroline Islands Purchase Money—Swiss Postal Union Jubilee Program Arranged—Minister Thielen Said to Be Thinking of Resigning as Mark of Protest.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY D. B. MACGOWAN.]

BERLIN, April 18.—The merchant Germann, who attempted unsuccessfully to persuade the courts to attach the purchase price of the Carolina Islands in order to settle a claim he had against the Spanish government for rice belonging to him and seized at Manila during the war, has grown dissatisfied with the diplomatic steps being taken in his interest and has appeared in the Reichstag.

Plan of Postal Jubilee.

The Frankfort Zeitung's correspondent at Bern says the Swiss Bundesrath has adopted its program for the silver jubilee of the International Postal union from July 2 to July 6. The jubilee assembly will discuss the plan to erect a postal union monument here.

Give Ameer's Letter No Weight.

The Weser Zeitung says political circles attach little importance to the Afghanistan news, deeming the Ameer's letter to be probably spurious.

Syria Grant Story Confirmed.

Confidential information confirms the story that France is seeking railway privileges in Syria similar to the Asia Minor grant to Russia.

Minister Thielen May Resign.

It is rumored that Minister of Public Works Thielen intends resigning after the present Landtag session on account of the government's lukewarmness regarding the canal bill.

The 75-year-old Würtemberg Premier, Dr. Mittnacht, it is now said, contemplates resigning on account of his failing health.

German Miners for Eight-Hour Law.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BERLIN, April 18.—The congress of organized German miners, now in session at Altenburg, has adopted resolutions declining to join the Socialist party, pronouncing against the importation of cheap foreign labor for mines, declaring in favor of embodying an eight-hour clause in the German mining bill now before the Reichstag, and vigorously antagonizing any exclusion of American meats from imports.

Restore Order at Shan-Tung.

According to advices from Kiao Chou, Shan-Tung, the German officials there have succeeded in obtaining guarantees from the new Governor General of Shan-Tung against native riots and native interference during railroad construction. It is also asserted that everything there is quiet now.

KUMASSI APPEALS FOR AID.

British Forces in West African Gold Coast Colony in Need of Immediate Relief.

ACCRA, Gold Coast Colony, West Africa, April 18.—News has been received here that Kumassi is closely invested and that the situation will become exceedingly grave if relief is delayed. The Governor, Sir Frederick Mitchell Hodgson, is asking for all available forces.

A British officer, who is in command of an important station north of Kumassi, says that unless relief is forthcoming soon it will be impossible to hold out.

The first relief force is expected to arrive at Kumassi today, and it will attempt to force the cordon.

Natives here are convinced that French influences are operating against the British.

SAYS M'KINLEY WILL WIN

DR. TALMAGE TALKS IN ENGLAND ON AMERICAN POLICY.

Says No Trouble Need Be Feared from Intervention on Part of United States in Transvaal Affair—Declares Pro-Broer Agitation Is Work of Democratic Politicians, Who Are Trying to Force Issues—Thinks Dewey May Cause Some Annoyance.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY ARTHUR L. CLARKE.]

LONDON, April 19.—Dr. Talmage, who is here for a few months' European tour, in an interview says: "There has been some talk in London, I hear, of the trouble America is to cause England by interfering in the Transvaal.

"Do not believe it. The government of the United States will do nothing in any way that could obstruct England.

Americans Remember Kindness.

"America has not forgotten England's helpful attitude in our hour of trouble, and we shall not interfere with you, for we recognize that you could now no more suffer intervention than we could have done during the civil war.

"Many of our Democratic politicians have come out on the side of the Boers and are attempting to make the Transvaal question an issue in the Presidential election, but it is doubtful how far these politicians will be allowed to dictate the policy even of their own party.

McKinley Will Be Re-elected.

"I believe McKinley will be the next President. The friends of Admiral Dewey will attack the present administration in every way, and it is always possible to find some flaws in a great government, and our policy of expansion has cost McKinley some supporters, yet I believe the American people recognize his great qualities for the position and next November they will reëlect him, but there will be no pro-Boer plank in the Republican platform."

AMERICAN GIRLS WIN HONORS.

At Concert in Paris They Sing Works of Massenet in a Manner Highly Approved.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY GRACE CORNEAU.]

PARIS, April 18.—A grand rendition of the works of Massenet was given today by pupils of Mme. Marchesi, with accompaniments by Massenet.

A large and fashionable audience attended, including his Royal Highness the Landgrave of Hesse, and his suite.

The honors of the day were in the major part carried off by Americans.

Miss Ada Adams of Chicago won a marked triumph with a song, and Miss Lou Ormsby of Central City, Neb., was warmly applauded.

Miss Elizabeth Parkinson, a relative of President McKinley, took the audience by storm, and with Miss Adams received the personal congratulations of Massenet and the Landgrave.

Miss Parkinson is preparing for opera and Miss Adams for concert work. Other American girls who were applauded were Zelie Rolker of New York, Augusta Doria of Boston, and Mme. Batcheller of Boston.

Queen Has Quiet Day.

DUBLIN, April 18.—The Queen enjoyed a comparatively quiet day today, the only public function in which she took part being the reception of a number of addresses at the Vice Regal Lodge from the Sheriffs and Mayors of Dublin and Cork and various Irish counties. Later her Majesty took a two-hour drive.

Plague Deaths Decrease in India.

SIMLA, April 18.—The deaths from plague throughout India during the last week slightly decreased in number, but the aggregate is still upwards of 4,000.

KING GOING TO NAPLES.

EXPOSITION THERE TO BE OPENED BY ITALIAN MONARCH.

Announcement That No Cardinals Will Be Ordained at Coming Consistory Is Much Commented On in Italy—International Shorthand Congress in Session at Rome—Pope Leo Will Bless 10,000 Pilgrims at St. Peter's Friday.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE BY OSCAR DURANTE.]

ROME, April 18.—King Humbert and Queen Marguerite have announced their intention of going to Naples to inaugurate the exposition there and also to open the tuberculosis congress which is to assemble next week.

To Ordain No Cardinals.

It has been announced that at the consistory to be held shortly the Pope will create several Bishops and Archbishops, but will raise none to Cardinals. The announcement that no Cardinals would be ordained is considerably commented upon, as there are now only fifty-six surviving, and many of them are exceedingly old men.

Shorthand Congress Meets.

The International Shorthand congress was opened today in the Argentina Theater. Chairman Mazza spoke of the history of shorthand, and concluded by inviting the 2,000 delegates to cheer Gabelsberger, inventor of the continental methods of stenography.

Will Bless Many Pilgrims.

Large delegations of the French, Belgian, Bohemian, and Italian pilgrimages are arriving here, and Pope Leo will bless 10,000 pilgrims at St. Peter's on Friday.

Woman Starts on Auto Journey.

Donna Mina Corsini has started from Rome in an automobile for Paris. She intends to go at a speed of forty-five kilometers an hour.

English Sing Te Deum.

The English-speaking colony crowded the Saint Sylvester Church today to hear the Te Deum for the Prince of Wales sung. The British Ambassador assisted.

PORTE WON'T REDUCE DUTY.

Turkish Government Needs the Money That the Increase of Three Per Cent Will Bring.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 17.—The Porte today replied to the third of the collective notes of the powers on the subject of an increase of 3 per cent in duty. The note announces the intention of the government to adhere to the plan of increasing the duties on account of the bad condition of Turkish finances.

The Ambassadors have decided to address another note to the Porte, again stating the objections to such an increase without a previous understanding with the powers.

The tenacity of the Porte threatens to have serious results.

NAVY SCANDALS IN RUSSIA.

Two Admirals and Forty-two Officers Said to Be Under Arrest for Embezzlement.

VIENNA, April 18.—Two Russian Admirals and forty-two other Russian naval officers of high rank are reported to have been arrested at Sebastopol owing to irregularities in the Construction department and to the embezzlement of millions.

All the ships in Black Sea harbors are being ordered to Sebastopol for inspection.

This movement is attributable to the recent rumor of Russian naval mobilization in the Black Sea.

MAYOR'S NEW LABOR PLAN

SUMMONS THE MATERIAL MEN TO WORK FOR ARBITRATION.

Preliminary Conference Arranges for Meeting Today—May Call on Both Building Trades and Contractors' Councils to Disband if Efforts to Reach Agreement Fail—Is Hopeful of Success—Brewery Trouble Comes to Sudden End—Union Picket Fined.

Mayor Harrison took a hand in the labor trouble yesterday by calling a number of manufacturers and dealers in building material together to discuss a way to settle the difficulty. The plan is for the material men to arrange a joint meeting of Arbitration committees from the Building Contractors' and the Building Trades councils, with a committee of their own as referee. The conference was attended by ten material dealers representing 90 per cent of the building interests. The Mayor explained his object and they adjourned until today.

Important developments are looked for. It was stated that the Building Contractors' and Building Trades councils would be urged voluntarily to dissolve in the event of a failure to open negotiations between the contractors and the unions. As the Contractors' council has declared repeatedly that it will not treat with any labor organization affiliated with the Building Trades council the belief is prevalent that the only solution of the problem is for both organizations to quit.

Is Hopeful of Success.

"I hope to see the strike settled," said the Mayor later, "and called in the material men because they are actually the sufferers in the lockout. They furnish the supplies for the buildings, while the contractors merely act as middlemen. These material men really have more at stake than any of the other parties, and I hope we may reach some conclusions on the strike question. I have asked the contractors and laborers to meet with me with a view of settling their difficulties by arbitration, but they have refused, and now we will take another tack.

"Nothing definite was decided on today. The best thing I heard was a compliment paid the police for their action and the Mayor for the prompt manner in which police protection is offered. I am hopeful of the outlook."

"The trouble at present seems to be a rivalry between the Building Trades council and the Building Contractors' council," said one material dealer, "to see which can last the longer, each assuming the victor will dictate terms, forgetting that the community is as much concerned as the principals in the struggle for supremacy.

"Arbitration is sure to bring about a satisfactory settlement."

No One Wants to Buy Brick.

The Illinois Brick company was not approached by any would-be purchaser of brick from the Building Trades council to test the sincerity of the company's declaration that it would use no discrimination in the sale of material. The company, it seems, means to refuse to sell brick at all, believing that such a policy will hasten a settlement of the labor troubles.

All danger of a strike among brewery employés was dispelled during the day by a settlement of the controversy between the Best Brewing company and its wagon loaders. The brewing company was given permission to employ extra help after 6 p. m.

Rapid work is being done on the Merchants' Loan and Trust Building by the non-union men, nearly 200 of whom were busy yesterday. Additional carpenters will be employed today. Contractor Daggett stated that one journeyman plumber and his helper accomplished as much in five hours as would be performed under union restrictions.

Arrest Under Walker's Ruling.

The first arrest since Corporation Counsel Walker delivered his opinion on picketing was made by Policeman Peckham near the building, when Albert Rotell, a union carpenter, was locked up for refusing to move on. He was fined $3 and costs. William Stevens, a striker, was arrested for assaulting a non-union workman named Pascardi.

The Executive board of the International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen began a three days' conference at 104 Randolph street. The object is to arrange for an eight-hour day for firemen.

Plans the "Free Workmen."

Mrs. J. S. Robb unfolded plans for the "Free Workmen," a great organization of non-union workmen and their wives, at a meeting of the Women's auxiliary of the Blue and Gray at the Great Northern Hotel last night. Mrs. Robb attracted much attention during the recent meeting of the Industrial commission by her denunciation of the tyranny of labor.

There are to be no walking delegates in the Free Workmen, and no arbitrary rules. One feature of Mrs. Robb's program is to secure monster petitions to city, State, and national authorities demanding the constitutional right of every man to work, regardless of any or all organizations.

Mrs. Robb said she had been led to think about the proposed organization by the letters she has received approving her utterances before the Industrial commission, and many of which urged her to form an organization of workmen who were not willing to join the unions. Among others who had promised her financial backing, she said, was the Building Contractors' council of this city.

At the beginning, she said, she decided the wives of the workmen should be an important element in the new movement. She said there are many wives of union workmen who are dissatisfied with the operations of the union, and who would join the Free Workmen. She proposed to have one or more great mass-meetings of the wives and their husbands and then to proceed to organization.

Thirty-eight charter members were secured last night at a meeting at Hull House for a Chicago branch of the Woman's International Union Label league. The meeting was addressed by the national organizer, Mrs. S. A. Crossfield of Muncie, Ind. Miss Fannie Jones was elected corresponding secretary.

POTIS' SUICIDE IS A MYSTERY.

Coroner's Jury Finds No Motive for It —Letter to Charles Earnshaw Shows Premeditation.

The inquest over the body of Salvator Potis, who committed suicide in his room at the Technical club Tuesday morning by shooting himself through the heart, failed to develop any motive for the act and resulted in a verdict of suicide. Potis, 37 years old and robust, had not complained of being ill, and a few hours previous to retiring had been in good spirits.

Charles Earnshaw, a contractor with offices at 1010 New York Life Building, an intimate friend of Potis, received Potis' last message. A letter was discovered among his effects addressed to Mr. Earnshaw. It contained no statement as to the cause of the shooting. A note inclosed in the envelope was to a sister of the deceased living in Spain. It was headed "Adios" and continued with the statement that the writer had "given himself up to God's mercy." The letter addressed to Mr. Earnshaw requested him to notify the writer's son in Trinidad, and below this was written: "Please write to my folks and forget me."

ALASKAN BILL IN THE SENATE.

Civil Code for Territory Under Consideration During Almost the Entire Session.

Washington, D. C., April 18.—During almost the entire session of the Senate today the Alaskan civil code bill was under consideration. In this connection Mr. Stewart [Nev.] delivered an address of nearly three hours upon the mining laws of the United States and their relation to the proposed amendment of Mr. Hansbrough as to the rights of alien locaters of claims. Mr. Nelson [Minn.], Mr. Carter [Mont.], and Mr. Teller [Colo.] discussed the pending amendment at length, both Mr. Nelson and Mr. Teller being particularly vigorous in their denunciation of it.

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SHIP SUBSIDY BILL OPPOSED.

Captain Bates Claims It Would Be Inoperative with the Money Available.

Houston, Tex., April 18.—At the morning session of the Transmississippi congress the Committee on Permanent Organization reported the following nominations of officers:

President—John R. C. Pitkin of New Orleans.
First Vice President—Walter Gresham of Galveston.
Second Vice President—L. B. Prince of Santa Fé, N. M.
Third Vice President—S. O. Brooks of St. Paul.
Fourth Vice President—George Q. Cannon of Salt Lake.

The officers nominated were elected.

Mr. Woodward of Louisiana introduced a resolution indorsing the proposed Houston ship channel and asking Congress to make an appropriation therefor.

W. M. Bates of Denver read an address in opposition to the ship subsidy bill. Recognizing the fact, he said, that some limit must be fixed on the amount of money to be spent in subsidizing vessels, $9,000,000 annually had been named as the sum. This, he declared, would render the bill inoperative. "What subsidy might do," he said, we are not even to try. Expense forbids." Continuing he claimed the plan of building up a marine by subsidies had failed in France and Italy and has never been entirely successful anywhere.

Under the present practice the speaker computed the subsidy money now paid amounts to $19.57 a ton. With 16 per cent of sail vessels added this cost would be reduced to $17.10 a ton. At this rate, to exhaust $9,000,000 a year, would require a fleet of 526,321 tons, or, as the speaker put it, "about 10 per cent of our needs today."

Such a small marine, he argued, was not worth subsidizing at all. What is needed is a marine which will carry 80 per cent of American commerce, say 4,800,000 tons, and this would only receive a subsidy of $1.87 a ton, not enough to be called a subsidy. On the other hand were the subsidy to be full it would cost the nation $62,928,000 a year more than it could pay.

"Moral": concluded Captain Bates, "Before you build castles in the air or ornamental tops, count the cost."

Heavy Damages for Loss of Sight.

New Haven, Conn., April 18.—[Special.]—A quarryman employed in the quarry at Greenwich lost his eyesight through the premature explosion of a blast some time ago, and was today awarded $20,000 damages by a jury. It is the heaviest verdict in the history of New England courts.

Prescription No. 2,851, by Elmer & Amend, will not cure all complaints, but it will cure rheumatism.

LYMAN LEWIS GETS OUT TODAY.

Chief Kipley Issues Order Making Lieutenant Ptacek Assistant Superintendent of Police.

A general order issued by Chief of Police Kipley last evening reads: "Lieutenant John E. Ptacek of the Twenty-first (Maxwell street) Precinct is hereby appointed Assistant Superintendent of Police by order of the Civil Service commission."

Ptacek will assume his place today, while Lyman Lewis will step out of the position to make way for the new appointee. What will be done with Lewis is not decided. He is eligible for retirement on a pension of $100 a month, but the Chief believes he should be kept on the force.

ROOSEVELT IS TO BE HERE.

He Will Address the Marquette Club at the Last of Its Series of Dinners.

Governor Theodore Roosevelt of New York will be the guest of the Marquette club on Thursday evening, April 26, at the sixth and last of the series of dinners given at the clubhouse. The dinner will be preceded by a reception, and at its conclusion Governor Roosevelt will address the members and guests.

King Oscar Is in London.

LONDON, April 18.—King Oscar and the Queen of Sweden and Norway have arrived in London.

G. A. R. PARADE ORDER FIXED.

Wisconsin Department Will Lead—Cannon Expected to Reach Chicago on Next Saturday.

The order in which the different G. A. R. departments will be placed in the line of parade was received yesterday from General Thomas J. Stewart, Adjutant General, G. A. R., at Philadelphia, Pa. The first five departments in order will be: Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York, Connecticut.

Colonel J. H. Wood, chairman of the G. A. R. Encampment Executive committee, says that the two cannon which have been shipped from New York should reach Chicago on Saturday. Columbia Post will escort them from the depot.

S. GEORGE D'ESSAUER, THE MISSING BOND DEALER, AND HIS WIFE.

MORE LIGHT ON FILIPINO WAR.

President Sends to the Senate Additional Captured Documents Bearing Upon the Insurrection.

Washington, D. C., April 18.—In response to the Senate resolution of Jan. 17 last the President today sent to the Senate additional documents bearing upon the insurrection in the Philippines. The papers are all important. One of them is a report of Colonel Aramas Blanco of the Philippine army on the events of Feb. 2, 1899, in Tondo. He tells how it was planned to burn the houses near the American barracks at Meisic at the time of the uprising.

Another letter dated at Tarlac on Oct. 23 last, signed by J. M. Leyba, commends an unnamed Filipino officer, who was commissioned by the Filipino government to burn the principal buildings in Manila, especially those occupied by foreigners.

Among other documents is an unsigned letter to General Rios of the Spanish army, and in command at Iloilo, dated at Malolos, Oct. 25, 1898, apparently inspired by Aguinaldo. In this letter the writer says his desire is "yet to save from shipwreck the sovereignty of Spain in these islands." He urges Rios to join the insurgents and oppose the Americans. If successful they would establish a Filipino-Spanish republic.

Another document is apparently a letter of instructions to Filipino Commissioners who were to accompany the American troops to Iloilo. They were told not to recognize the sovereignty of the American government, and upon disembarking the commissioners were to force the surrender of the Spaniards before the Americans arrived.

One document relates to the conference sought by General Otis with Filipino leaders relative to the expedition to Iloilo, and says Otis indicated it was the purpose of the United States to annex the Philippines, but admitted there were two parties in the Senate.

A proclamation, signed by Aguinaldo on May 24, 1898, said he would first establish a dictatorship and afterward a government with a Cabinet.

The papers are all translations of documents captured from the Filipino forces.

FIRST CAVALRY GIVES A BALL.

Military Dance at Bournique's of Which the Guardsmen Are Hosts—Among the Guests.

From reveille until taps the military ball given by the First Cavalry, I. N. G., last evening at Bournique's was a brilliant scene. Each dance was announced with one of the service calls, given by the regiment's chief trumpeter. Captain Alvar Bournique was the master of ceremonies.

CHAMPIONSHIP SEASON OPENS.

First Game for the National League Pennant to Be Played Today.

CHICAGOS AT CINCINNATI.

Callahan and Griffith Likely to Divide the Pitching for Loftus' Team.

OTHER CLUBS ARE READY.

Games Today.

Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York.

Weather Prospects.

At Cincinnati—Fair and warmer.
At New York—Partly cloudy; fresh southerly winds.
At Boston—Fair.
At St. Louis—Fair.

This afternoon the baseball championship will start once more upon its daily summer grind. In four of the big cities of the country the first games will be played—weather permitting—of the long series of 140 for each club which are to determine what club will be known as the champion of the United States—of the world, for that matter, as the United States is the only country which is proficient in the game of ball. From now until Oct. 14 the studies and home chores of the small boy will suffer because of his patriotic devotion to the national game, and the busy "ticker" will intermingle its daily reports of markets and horse races with runs, base hits, batteries, and errors, while the majority of the older fans in eight league cities will be kept busy explaining how illluck has kept their own team down in the race.

The weather prospects appear to be better than might be expected at this time of year. fair weather being prophesied at all four cities.

In Cincinnati the Chicago team will battle with the Reds. At St. Louis the greatly strengthened Pittsburg team will play Tebeau's braves. In the East Philadelphia goes to Boston, because it is Bunker Hill day in the literary metropolis. Luckily enough, good weather is promised for a point so far north. In New York Hanlon's Brooklyn champions will tackle the Giants on the latter's grounds.

The New York club is a disappointment, its owners having failed to secure men to bolster up the team, as was expected. Should the Giants make a good showing in the league race it will cause general surprise. The Chicago team is also generally regarded as below the standard, so that the season starts with the prospects of the two chief cities of the country being represented by inferior teams. Should the uncertainties of the game develop the contrary a brilliant baseball season is likely to result, as in other respects the outlook for the national game is most bright.

For the first time in many years the season begins with a compact and almost ideal circuit of eight clubs.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Cincinnati, O., April 18.—[Special.]—Manager Loftus and his crew of ball players are tonight sniffing the air of battle. Tomorrow the opening game of the National league season will be played. Chicago and Cincinnati, doomed by the critics to battle for the tail-end honors, will face each other out in Mill Creek bottoms, and all southern Ohio will hold all else as of minor importance until the game is decided.

There will be a parade, the Mayor of Cincinnati will start the season, and if Cincinnati loses the entire populace will turn on the Reds as of yore.

Two Reorganized Teams.

Cincinnati is a typical baseball town—full of hope always until beaten, then dropping into the depths of despair. The struggle of tomorrow is likely to be a memorable one. Just one year ago Chicago and Cincinnati met, each filled with pennant aspirations. Both failed and were cast into outer baseball darkness. This season the teams, each led by a new manager, are so changed even the best of baseball judges cannot see the result. Chicago presents a team of veterans scooped from the wrecks and ruins of other clubs; men tried in many seasons and not found wanting. Cincinnati presents an experimental club composed of minor league recruits. Both teams have their reputations to make, and the starting skirmishes will be watched with interest.

Tomorrow will be the May day of Cincinnati. There will be 99-cent excursions from all southern Ohio, and Mr. Brush will have the players parade in street cars and exhibit themselves to the bowing multitude. The parade will be gorgeous, but inexpensive. The men will board special trolley cars and ride over the entire right of way of the Consolidated Street railway (the Consolidated donated the cars). A band will lead the procession, and the effect is expected to be gorgeous, and, above all, costless.

The Chicago players are threatening to bolt the parade, objecting to going on exhibition, but a majority probably will parade.

In the afternoon, immediately after the Tree exhibition, the doors of the big tent will be thrown open and the season will commence.

Manager Loftus has carded Callahan, Griffith, and Garvin as his pitchers. Bob Allen has selected Phillips, Manager Loftus, however, is planning a dodge. He contemplates letting Griffith and Callahan divide the work and let each turn on full speed while he remains on the slab. Both men favor the idea, and Captain Ryan believes such a division of duty at this time in the season will save the pitchers as well as enhance the chances of victory.

As a preliminary to the game, Mayor Gustav Tafel will make a speech and Mayor-elect Julius Fleischmann will toss the ball out into the diamond. After that, St. John Brush, who will come from Indianapolis for the purpose, will smile a sickly smile, thus officially opening the season.

The teams will line up as follows:

Cincinnati.		Chicago.
Barret, rf.	Ryan, lf.	
Corcoran, ss.	Childs, 2b.	
McBride, cf.	Mertes, cf.	
Smith, lf.	McCarthy, rf.	
Beckley, 1b.	Everitt, 1b.	
Steinfeldt, 2b.	Wolverton, 3b.	
Irwin, 3b.	Clingman, s.	
Peitz, c.	Donahue, c.	
Phillips, p.	Callahan, Griffith, or Garvin, p.	

Umpire—Henry O'Day.

Last Practice of Loftus' Men.

Manager Loftus is exceedingly anxious to win. Once Loftus managed the Cincinnati club, and was well known here. Besides Loftus and Allen were rival managers in the Western league. The game will be for blood.

The Chicago team came up from Louisville late this afternoon, but before leaving Louisville the team engaged in one of the hardest practices of the training season. For two hours the pitchers worked hard, twirling at the batters of the regular team, who hit and ran, bunted, and worked with all their might, while Manager Loftus stood out on the field and handed out advice and consulted with his new Captain.

There was no reception when the team arrived in Cincinnati, only a long howl from the men because Frank Bancroft, the Reds' business manager, persuaded Loftus to abandon the hotel used last year for another.

Tonight the men are cheerful and confident of victory. A few of the Cincinnati players strolled into the hotel during the early evening, and shook hands with acquaintances on the Chicago team. They, too, are certain they will win tomorrow. They bank on Phillips' ability and condition.

Clingman and McCormick, who live in Cincinnati, reported at their homes tonight, and the rest, obeying Manager Loftus' injunction, are early abed.

"Every one of my players is in the pink of condition," said Manager Bob Allen tonight, "and I look for tomorrow's game to be one of more interest than the opening game usually is."

The grounds are in better shape than was expected after yesterday's rain, the warm sun and the wind of today having dried it out well. With fair weather tomorrow, which is locally forecasted, it will be in good condition.

BOSTON WILL TACKLE THE QUAKERS

Bean-Eaters Believe They Are Stronger This Year—Willis Is to Pitch.

Boston, Mass., April 18.—[Special.]—Boston will tackle Philadelphia in the opening game of the season at 3:30 tomorrow afternoon. Though it looks anything but promising for baseball weather, Government Forecaster Smith stakes his reputation on a fair afternoon, and the players, magnates, and fans pray he may not be mistaken.

A big crowd is assured, for, added to the fact it is a local holiday—Patriots' day—there is an unusual interest here in baseball for so early in the season, due partly to the addition of several new men to the team, all of whom every one is anxious to see shape up, and partly to the reduction of the league circuit.

Willis has been picked to go after the first scalp from the Quakers. Jim Hallahan, who finished the season after his work with the Princeton boys and his trip South, and should make it rough going for the visitors. Clarke will do the catching. And right here it may be said that in this department of the game Boston is weak.

The death of Bergen left Boston with only two catchers, Clarke and Sullivan. The former is a fairly good backstop, but is a batsman but amounts to little. Sullivan, though a better hitter, is almost an unknown quantity, having caught only a few games here and there the end of last season, in which he did fairly good work. Manager Selee has taken on Clements to help out, but his batting is ridiculously weak. One bang-up, hard-hitting catcher surely is Boston's crying need.

The infield tomorrow will be the same as last year: Tenney, first; Lowe, second; Collins, third; Long, shortstop. All of these men are in good condition and it would perhaps be hard to improve upon them. In the outfield will be Captain Duffy at left, Hamilton at center, and Stahl at right. If Hamilton fails from his batting Manager Hart "Buck" Freeman will undoubtedly supplant him. Though Hamilton's friends are legion there are many who believe he has the hard hitting necessary regularly in the outfield.

Infielder Barry is another new man. He is a hustling youngster and a hard hitter. Pitcher Dineen will undoubtedly be an improvement over Meekin of last season. Pitcher Nichols, Tenney, and Barry (the latter, who hands them down from an elevation of 6 feet 2 inches, are expected to do good work in supporting the old reliable Nichols and Willis in the box.

On the whole the Boston team looks stronger than for several seasons past. Manager Selee has been here last summer, and is confident of his ability to down the Terrors tomorrow. Manager Clarke has not decided just who will catch Waddell's benders, being divided between Zimmer and Schriver.

A pleasant afternoon is prophesied, and the park should be packed to its utmost capacity. Play will be started at 3:30 o'clock.

Tim Hurst, who will officiate as umpire, reached the city this evening. It will be Hurst's first appearance on a ball field since the fall of '97.

President Dreyfuss and Business Manager Pulliam are here with the Pirates, and tonight they took their players to see the "Belle of New York."

There will be no ceremony at the opening game. No invitations have been issued by the club management, and the season is to start here on a strictly business basis.

"UNCLE NICK" READY FOR SEASON.

His Chief Task Now Will Be to Keep Books on the Attendance.

Washington, D. C., April 18.—[Special.]—At National league headquarters here there is little to indicate the big eight-club pennant race is about to be inaugurated. Local lack of interest in the game has made the visits of "fans" to headquarters so scarce "Uncle Nick" was able to close up all business connected with the opening of the season several days ago.

Dozens of "official" baseballs have been weighed, sealed, and forwarded, official scoring blanks have been issued to scorers, and the umpire schedule, also more or less official, is ready for publication. This is short; the clocks are cleared for the work and trouble that invariably follows the magic command of the umpire—"Play!"

When the turnstiles begin to click, the one new department of "Uncle Nick's" office will begin operations.

The consists of a lone ledger, in which will be kept account of the percentage of receipts of each game to be devoted to ridding the big eight of the quartet of former colleagues. Otherwise affairs of baseball record will proceed as in former seasons.

"This is going to be a great pennant fight," mused President Young, as he sealed the last of a batch of letters. "There has been so much concentration of playing talent and so many changes in team composition that a good guesser might pick half the clubs, and then not include the next champions; and a nervy prophet indeed is the man who now presumes to tell what pair or trio of clubs will prove the greatest factors in the race.

"Personally, I would like to see some of the Western clubs come to the front. The championship has now been kept so long in the East that if a Western club should break the spell it would prove a great boom for the game all around."

Of the single umpire system and the task to be performed by the five men elected by the league—Emslie, O'Day, Swartwood, Connolly, and Hurst.—Mr. Young spoke hopefully. It was plain, however, that he would be a much surprised man if his schedule for umpires escaped change for one-half the season.

"I have tried to divide the work as evenly as possible between the five officials," said Mr. Young. "Mr. Swartwood I have assigned the least number of games, for the reason that he lives in Pittsburg—the hub of the circuit—from which place I can send him most anywhere in case of sickness or another official. Mr. Hurst has been scheduled for neither Cincinnati nor New York. This was not done because of any personal spleen I have against him, but simply because I thought it impolitic to send him to these cities, in view of the unpleasant occurrences several years ago. No matter how good the umpire, he is bound to be unpopular in one or two cities, and in my schedule I have tried to help the officials as much as possible. If I am successful the games run smooth, and the individual members will give a good account of themselves. They deserve the encouragement of both public and players."

It is said President Young encountered not a little difficulty in bringing his umpire staff into line on the salary question. As soon as the league decided on the single-man system a strike for increased salary was made by nearly every member of the staff.

TWO AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

Season Will Open Today at Kansas City and Detroit.

Minneapolis at Kansas City.
Buffalo at Detroit.

Bad weather has seriously interfered with the plans of the American league, which is scheduled to open its season today. Chicago will be unable to make its debut before Saturday, as the White Stockings' official headquarters are now deep in mud which only bright sun and warm weather will be able to dry up in good time. Indianapolis is also more or less inundated, and four teams will be idle today, and among them the two contenders for the league, around which the most interest centers. Cleveland was scheduled to play at Indianapolis, but will be unable to take the field before tomorrow. Comiskey's men are losing time getting into condition and will play on Marshall Field again today with Coach Stagg's manroons, while Hoy Evans of Detroit meet the Blions and the Kansas City Blues entertain the Millers.

Comiskey was particularly anxious for good weather to open his season on time, but neither the grounds at Milwaukee nor on the South Side will permit, so the only place for the White Stockings will wait for good weather and then try to make up for lost time.

The contest here in American league is an uncertain proposition, as the teams have all strengthened and the leaders will have to be determined by actual competition, it is thought. Chicago is pretty evenly matched on paper. Comiskey has a strong aggregation with the material he has secured from the National league, Milwaukee and Detroit have strengthened with the surplus from the major league organizations, and Cleveland has built up a new team which looks strong. The strong Minneapolis team is left almost intact after the rout last season, and Indianapolis is a prominent factor. Buffalo has secured some new material also, but doesn't seem as strong as some of the other clubs.

The race in the American league, formerly the Western, was close last year and unusually so this year. The fight for supremacy among the owners is intense and interesting sport may be looked for.

President Johnson had hoped to be present at one of the opening games today, but he was confined to his home yesterday with throat trouble, and in all likelihood will not be able to get away to see any of the teams start off the season.

Comiskey was called away yesterday by the illness of his brother in St. Paul, who is not expected to live.

Detroit, Mich., April 18.—[Special.]—From present indications Detroit will have a nice day for the inauguration of the new regime at Bennett Park. Rain sounds in the forecast, but the change was desired by many is shown by the letters from the Elks, Knights of Pythias, and Knights of St. John, which organizations will be represented at the opening ceremonies. There will be a band and parade tomorrow. Mayor Maybury, the Council, the Elks, and other societies will participate.

Kansas City, Mo., April 18.—[Special.]—The American league season will open here tomorrow with a game between Minneapolis and Kansas City. The weather today was balmy and springlike, and the predictions are for the same sort of weather tomorrow.

The Minneapolis club arrived tonight. Manager Walter Wilmot came down with the Millers and made the arrangements for the coming of his men. The Millers' list will show some new names, but not many. Barry will be on first, as he is still to greet his old friends in Kansas City, while his companions in the infield will be the same, except that Vance will replace Andrews at third base. The twirler for the Millers tomorrow, Charlie Hastings, was on Manager Manning's staff last year, and has done service for the Blues in other years.

COMISKEY'S TEAM WINS EASILY.

Maroons Prove No Match for the White Stockings.

Comiskey's American league team overwhelmingly defeated the University of Chicago men at Marshall Field yesterday. The game was won by heavy batting, the visitors making eleven hits off of Rogers, and the maroons helped the work along by a well assorted bunch of errors in the seventh inning. Katoll pitched seven innings for the White Stockings and the maroons were able to secure only one safe hit. The rest were flies or accessible grounders. Patterson took Katoll's place in the seventh and Denzer pitched the last two innings. He allowed the maroons two hits in the eighth and sent a couple of runners to first on balls, which combination of events, taken in connection with a wild throw to second by Buckley, led to three of the five runs which were secured by the maroons.

Harper caught the entire game for the varsity and allowed only one ball to get by him. Sugden caught for the White Stockings, but was succeeded by Buckley in the sixth. R. Merrifield played shortstop on the college team, Van Patten being on the bench. The game was entirely devoid of exciting or sensational features.

Comiskey's men began scoring in the third. Sugden led off with a single, and his example was immediately followed by Hoy. McFarland repeated the operation and Sugden came in on the hit. Hoy reached home on Rogers' wild pitch. Lally flew out to Place and McFarland was neatly doubled at first. Padden went out on an easy grounder which Merrifield fielded to first, closing the inning. In the fourth Dexter was given a free pass to the first bag, and reached second on Hartman's single. Another single by Shugart brought in the run. Hartman was forced trying to steal second, and Katoll knocked a grounder which put him out at first. Sugden then made another hit, which brought Shugart across the plate, and he himself went in on Vernon's error. McFarland went out at first.

The fifth was a comedy of errors and a batting exhibition. Hoy started things with a single, stole second, and went to third when McFarland flew out to Ewing. Lally followed suit, and Merrifield and went to first before the latter could decide what to throw the ball. Hoy went in when the ball was thrown to Kennedy. Harper tried to catch Lally at second, but the ball went between Vernon and Merrifield to the center field. Place overthrew Merrifield at third, and Lally scored the seventh run of the game. A single by Isbell, another by Padden, and a three-bagger by Hartman increased the number of runs to ten, which was the final score for Comiskey's team.

There was some good individual work among the maroon players, notably that of Kennedy and Place, but the team work was listless and the men seemed to lack confidence. They did not give the professionals a chance to show what they could do. Comiskey's team, on the other hand, showed the benefit of their two weeks' training at Champaign. "Dummy" Hoy seems better than for several seasons. He was as lively as a cricket and fielded his position beautifully. Hartman, at third, did excellent work. The team seems to be getting together well, and gives signs of being a fast aggregation.

Comparing the Chicago and Illinois teams, the White Stockings said Illinois was much superior. They said the Illini were fast fielders, good batters, and showed fair team work, much better than the usual college team. They predicted victory for the State University in the game on Saturday. Concerning the Michigan game, they said the Champaign boys seemed to be affected with stage fright and did not do themselves justice, throwing miserably and forgetting all they knew about the game.

A second game will be played on Marshall Field today, when the maroons hope to get revenge for their decisive defeat of yesterday. The score:

Am. League.	R	B	P	A	E
Hoy, cf.	2	2	3	0	0
McFarland, rf.	2	2	1	0	0
Lally, lf.	1	2	2	0	0
Padden, 2b.	1	1	2	1	1
Dexter, ss.	1	1	1	2	0
Isbell, 1b.	1	0	9	0	1
Hartm'n, 3b.	1	2	1	2	0
Shugart, c.	1	1	6	0	0
Katoll, p.	0	0	0	3	1
Sugden, c.	2	2	3	1	0
Buckley, c.	0	0	1	0	0
Denzer, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Patt'son, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	11	27	11	3

Chicago.	R	B	P	A	E
P. M'f'ld, 8b.	1	1	1	6	2
Ewing, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Ken'dy, lb.	0	1	15	1	0
Ewing, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Wood, lf.	0	0	2	0	0
Harper, c.	0	0	2	0	0
Vernon, ss.	0	0	1	2	1
R. M'f'ld, ss	0	0	2	0	1
Totals	3	4	27	13	6

American league	0	0	2	3	0	0	5	0	b—10
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0—3

Two base hits—Hartman. Struck out—By Katoll, 2; by Denzer, 2; by Rogers, 1. Bases on balls—Off Katoll, 1; off Rogers, 1; off Denzer, 3. Double play—Vernon, Kennedy, and Hartman. Passed ball—Harper. Wild pitch—Rogers. Passed ball—Harper. Time—2 hours. Umpire—Herschberger.

CELEBRATION AT NORTHWESTERN.

Students Rejoice Over the Victory Over the Maroons.

Northwestern University went on a holiday yesterday as a result of the victory over Chicago the day before. The loss to Beloit was keenly felt, and Hollister gave his men a severe lecture on the way they were doing. Few expected to win the game against the maroons and, when the returns came in no one believed them. The whole school celebrated after a jollification in the city, but when the news of victory became generally known the celebration started. The fraternity houses became the scenes of receptions and Hollister had to keep open house until midnight.

Yesterday, after chapel a mass-meeting was held and speeches were made by members of the faculty and the coach. Songs were sung, and for the first time this spring the students showed marked enthusiasm. Yesterday afternoon the bleachers were crowded with fans and every move of the team was cheered. The unexpectedness of the game coming as it did when the team was without its best pitcher, and when the students were informed it was in bad shape, was the brightest sport for many years on the purple's motto basketball.

Hollister smiled when asked about the game and claims it is the beginning of a victorious string. The team was in good shape yesterday and it has since the season opened, and prophecies which he has made this year. The first Chicago game were taken out and aired again. Hollister said that the victory was the best thing that could have happened for a little more aggregation, and that it came at just the right time.

The game itself for so early in the year and under such adverse circumstances was exceptionally good. The heavy fall of rain all day had made the diamond on Marshall Field a mass of mud and the only dry place on the field was near the south end. Here an improvised diamond was marked out and before a mere handful of spectators the game began. It was Northwestern's game from the start, and while Chicago at one time threatened to tie it the threat ended in nothing.

Stagg tried Smith in the box and the boy was not as effective as Rogers in the opening game of the series. He was wild at times and found when hits were needed and meant runs. Smiley was given another trial by Hollister and while he was not brilliant in his work he was steady and reliable. He was found but seldom at opportune moments. His gifts to first amounted to nothing.

The fielding of both teams was fast and many of the errors would not have occurred had the regular diamond been used. Here Northwestern showed up again as the best of the two teams on handling the ball. In the matter of the purple infield was sharp and clean cut. Van Patten and Merrifield both made costly errors, and Pimeo found it impossible to get any of the throws which did not come within easy distance.

The score:

Northw'rn.	R	B	P	A	E
Week, c.	0	0	6	1	0
Pinneo, lb.	2	0	13	0	0
Johnson, rf.	1	2	1	0	0
Smiley, p.	1	2	1	4	0
Nusb'm, 2b.	1	0	2	4	1
Stat'son, cf.	1	0	3	0	0
Fleagle, ss.	0	0	1	2	0
White, ss.	0	1	1	2	0
Chaddo'k, lf.	0	0	3	0	0
Totals	7	7	27	16	5

Chicago.	R	B	P	A	E
Merfield, 8b.	0	0	2	2	1
Place, c.	2	2	4	1	0
Kenn'dy, lb.	0	1	8	0	0
Ewing, rf.	0	0	2	1	0
Smith, p.	0	0	1	4	0
Van P'n, ss.	1	2	2	2	2
Ellsw'h, lf.	0	0	1	0	0
Harper, c.	0	1	5	2	0
Totals	3	6	27	12	3

Northwestern	2	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0—7
Chicago	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1—3

Two base hits—Smiley, Pleager. Three base hits—Johnson, Merrifield [2]. Home run—Place. Struck out—By Smiley, 1; by Smith, 4. Bases on balls—Off Smiley, 3; off Smith, 3. Double plays—West-Pinneo; Ewing-Harper. Hit by pitcher—By Smiley, 1; by Smith, 5. Passed balls—Place, 1; Ellsworth, 1; Harper, 1. Time—2.00. Umpires—Joe Hunter and C. B. Herschberger.

BADGERS SURPRISE WOLVERINES.

Phil King's Nine Easily Defeats the Michigan Team.

Madison, Wis., April 18.—[Special.]—The Michigan baseball team ran up against something of a surprise party in this afternoon's game with the Badgers and was thankful to escape a shutout. The final score was 7 to 1. The Wisconsin players showed up in great form, considering the fact this was practically the first game of the season and outplayed the visitors in every department. The Badgers played an errorless game, while the Wolverines had several bad errors charged up against them. The locals found no difficulty in solving Utley's curves and ran up a total of nine hits. The field was rather slippery as a result of rain this morning and interfered somewhat with this play. Score:

Wisconsin.	R	B	P	A	E
Mower, rf.	0	0	1	0	0
Harvey, ss.	1	1	1	1	0
Hensel, 2b.	1	2	2	1	0
Curtis, 1b.	1	1	11	1	0
M'k'lton, lf.	3	0	3	0	0
Pierce, c.	1	1	5	0	0
Cochems, rf.	0	2	3	0	0
Reedal, p.	0	0	1	4	0
Sickles, 3b.	0	1	2	2	0
Totals	7	9	27	10	0

Michigan.	R	B	P	A	E
McGin's, cf.	1	1	4	0	0
Snow, lf.	0	1	1	0	0
Condon, 1b.	0	0	13	0	0
Whitney, c.	0	0	3	2	0
Fissher, 3b.	0	0	1	2	0
Matteson, ss.	0	0	2	3	0
Davies, 2b.	0	0	4	5	3
Utley, p.	0	0	0	4	0
Blencoe, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	1	5	27	13	4

Wisconsin	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0—7
Michigan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1

Two-base hits—Blencoe, Cochems. Stolen bases—Muckleston [3], Hensel, McGinnis. Bases on balls—Off Utley, 3; off Reedal, 5. Struck out—By Utley, 2; by Reedal, 5. Passed ball—Whitney. Wild throw—Whitney. Double play—Sickles-Mowry-Curtis. Time—1:45. Umpire—Tindall.

Nebraska, 20; Missouri, 4.

Lincoln, Neb., April 18.—University of Nebraska, 20; University of Missouri, 4.

Lexington Track to Reopen.

Lexington, Ky., April 18.—The old Kentucky association racecourse here is to be thrown open on May 1. C. W. Lyne has closed negotiations with John E. Green of St. Louis, whereby the track comes into the control of a syndicate, which proposes to give annual race meetings.

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TOMLINSON COLT BEATEN.

DERBY CANDIDATE PROVES TO BE ONLY A SPRINTER.

After Running Seven-eighths of a Mile The Conqueror Is Done and Knight Banneret Captures the Mile and a Sixteenth Race at Memphis—Rough Riding Results in the Disqualification of Wild Pirate—Flamora Cut Down at Tanforan Park.

Memphis, Tenn., April 18.—[Special.]—Tomlinson's Derby possibility, The Conqueror, showed his true form in the mile and a sixteenth race at Montgomery Park today, when he finished second to Knight Banneret. Tomlinson's colt was a 3 to 5 favorite over the other five starters, and he ran as far as he has done in all his other races this year. He ran in front for seven furlongs, and showed plainly it is his limit by quitting after it, and Knight Banneret came home an easy winner by nearly two lengths. Knight Banneret, who was in receipt of ten pounds from the son of Sir Dixon, did not go to the post unbacked. His owner and friends pounded the odds down from 4 to 1 to 3 to 1, and Wedderstrand sent the colt to the front when he was ready. The Conqueror attempted to make a runaway of it, but he could never get more than a length away from Griffin's colt, and when the latter challenged him on the turn for home he was all done, although he had enough left to save second place by a length from Dissolute.

There was a great deal of rough riding during the afternoon, and the tactics of the jockeys resulted in the disqualification of Wild Pirate and the coupling of Griffin's colt as easy winner in the five furlongs for 2-year-olds.

Memphis Summaries April 18.

Weather clear. Track heavy.

First race, 4½ furlongs, 2-year-olds, selling: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 7-5 Den. Thompson, 106 [Winkfield] 3 3½ 3½ 1ns 7-5 Zack Ford, 110 [J. Mathews] ..1 1½ 1h 2½ 12-1 Gilmore Girl, 106 [Garner] ..4 2h 2½ 3h Time, :53. Foxworthy, 108 pounds; Seething, 97, finished as named. Winner, H. T. Griffin's ch. c. by Beckwith—Ramona. Start good. Won in a drive. Second easily. The first two raced it out closely all through the last eighth. Zack Ford was very much in the end.

Second race, ⅝ mile, selling: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 30-1 Elsie Venner, 104 [Doerin'k] 8 5½ 5½ 5½ 1½ 18-5 Incidental, 111 [Aker] ..5 2h 2½ 2½ 2h 3-1 Ellen Lake, 109 [Wittrock] ..4 4½ 3½ 3½ 3h Time, 1:04¾. Barney Gaal, 108 pounds; Al Caskey, 106; Castine, 109; Monongah, 104½; Georgetown, 109; Conway, 106; Engano, 108; Tamos, 109; Faywood, 109; Big Pat, 106, finished as named. Winner, S. T. Gaines & Bros.' b. f., by Scorpion—Virginia B. Start strageling. First five were closely bunched and hard at it. Elsie Venner was lucky. She got through a tight place in the stretch and got just in time to win.

Third race, 1¼ miles, selling: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 8-5 Dr. Atlantis, 98 [Mitchell] ..3 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 3-1 Schnell-laufer, 84 [Talley] ..2 8h 5nk 3½ 2½ 7-1 Ben Chance, 87 [Dominick] ..6 5½ 6h 4nk 3h Time, 2:12¾. Jim Gilmore, 98½ pounds; Russell R. 79; Miss Patron, 99½; Ciara Meader, 96; Tommy O'Brien, 99, finished as named. Winner, Douglas Co.'s b. f., by Atlantic—Woodrance. Start good. Won easily. It was a drive for second place.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, 3-year-olds: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 7-2 Knightly, 94 [Weiderstrand] ..2 2d 2½ 1½ 1½ 7-10 The Cong'r, II, 112 [Win'd'l] ..5 1½ 1½ 1½ 2½ 8-1 Dissolute, 105½ (Glimore) ..6 5½ 5½ 3½ 3½ Time, 1:48¾. Mirth, 105 pounds; Capron, 102; Dramburg, 106, finished as named. Winner, H. T. Griffin's ch. c., by Knight of Ellerslie—Banneret. Start good. Won driving. Second easily. Knightbanneret went to the front when ready.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, 2-year-olds: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 7-2 *Wild Pirate, 105 [Wink'd] 3 2½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 3-1 Odor, 109 [Mauro] ..1 3nk 2½ 2½ 2½ 8-1 Dick Burgess, 101 [Cr'b'st] 4 4½ 3nk 3nk 3d 30-1 Wall, 100 [L. Rose] ..5 5½ 5½ 5½ 4d

*Disqualified for foul.

Time, 1:03¾. Harry Pulliam, 113 pounds; Darlene, 95, finished as named. Winner, T. P. Hayes' ch. c., by Pirate of Penzance—Fertile. Start good. Won easily. Second driving. Wild Pirate liked the going and showed the most speed. He pinched off Dick Burgess on the first turn, badly interfering with him and causing him to lose much ground.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, selling: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 5-2 Lambkin, 107 [McIntyre] ..4 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 8-5 Meehanus, 107 [McIntyre] ..4 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 3-1 Boney Boy, 128 [O'Leary] ..3 2h 3½ 2½ 2h 7-1 Olea, 105 [Mitchell] ..5 3½ 4½ 4½ 3d Time, 1:16¾. The Kentuckian, 129 pounds; Sensational, 97, finished as named. Winner, Westmors & Meehan's ch. c., by Golden Garter—Fedora. Start good. Won easily. The Kentuckian was under restraint all the way to the stretch, but failed to improve his position when called on.

Third race, about ¾ mile [150 feet short], selling: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 6-5 Carbuncle, 107 [O'Leary] ..1 2½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 7-5 Sw. Capoeal, 110 [Mitchell] 3 1h 2½ 2½ 2½ 25-1 Gold. Scepter, 107 [McIn'e] 4 3d 3½ 3½ 3½ Time, 1:30. Mr. Kaltenbach, 128 pounds; Ben Ronald, 110, finished as named. Winner, T. J. Healey's b. h., by Stuyvesant—Garnet. Start good. Won under a pull. Carbuncle was never extended.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, handicap: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 1-1 Wait Not, 119 [O'Connor] ..2 3½ 2½ 1½ 1½ 5-1 Van Candles, 104 [Hamilton] 1 1½ 1½ 2½ 2d 2-1 K. of the G'r, 120 [McJoynt] ..3 2½ 3½ 3½ 3 Time, 1:49 2-5. Winner, J. H. Carr's ch. c., by Prince Blazes—Miss Compromise. Start good. Won driving. Second easily. Wait Not overhauled the leaders on the backstretch and had a close, hard race through the stretch with Van Candles.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile, selling: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 8-1 Wait Not, 107 [McJoynt] ..5 1½ 1½ 1½ 1½ 3-1 Diminutive, 110 [O'Leary] ..5 3½ 2½ 2½ 2h 12-1 Lindula, 110 [Cooper] ..8 4½ 5h 4h 3½ Time, 1:03 2-5. Proteus, 112 pounds; Lauderman, 112; Bissie Taylor, 110; Leedsville, 115, finished as named. Dutch Comedian threw boy. Winner, W. O'Connell's b. g., by Leonatus—Dalia. At post 8 minutes. Start good. Won driving. Second handily. Rimaldo II. and Diminutive ran locked through the last eighth, and the former proved the best stayer.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, 3-year-olds, maidens: Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. ¼ ⅝ Str. Fin. 6-5 Unmasked, 111 [Spencer] ..5 3½ 2½ 1h 1½ 4-1 Meeker, 111 [Mitchell] ..2 3 3½ 2½ 2½ 8-1 Long Isle, 113 [H. Lewis] ..8 6½ 5½ 4½ 3d Time, 1:05 1-5. Christmas Carol, 111 pounds; Kinfinder, 111; Solo, 111; Millstone, 111; Loo Kate, 109; Basilisk, 109, finished as named. Shamokin bolted. Winner, J. R. & F. P. Keene's blk. c., by Domino—Mere Hill. At post 12 minutes. Start good. Won easily. Second driving. Spencer picked his going skillfully with Unmasked and was drawing away in the last sixteenth.

Today's Aqueduct Entries.

First race, ¾ mile—Lambent, 112 pounds; L'Alouette, 112; Wine Press, 110; Lady Lindsay, 110; Fred Gaul, 110; Dangerous Maid, 93; Star Chime, 93; Her Ladyship, 93; The Amazon, 97; Jamaica, 87; Golden Rattle, 87.

Second race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Bannock, 116 pounds; Rare Perfume, 104; The Gardner, 114; Tony Honing, 112; Robert Bonner, 109; Double Dummy, 109; Holiday, 106; Sybil Sheen, 105; Judge Magee, 105; Mouzelton, 103; Expelled, 101.

Third race, about ¾ mile [150 feet short], handicap—Boney Boy, 128 pounds; Charentus, 117; Kris Kringle, 116; Benneville, 114; Maximo Gomez, 110; Griffin Corbett, 110; Mr. Kaltenbach, 109; Robert Metcalf, 98.

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Ex-President Cleveland Is Unable to Attend and Sends a Letter Outlining What He Regards as the True Policy of the Democratic Party—Ex-Governor Campbell Assails the Free Silver Doctrine—Automobile Wedding Marred by Accident.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, April 18.

The anti-Bryan banquet of the Brooklyn Democratic club took place this evening at the Germanic clubhouse in Schermerhorn street. The attendance was not as large as anticipated, only 102 members and guests occupying seats at the long table. The Kings County Democratic machine frowned on the dinner, although it was got up to celebrate the birthday of Thomas Jefferson. Not a prominent leader or member of the regular organizations of Greater New York was present. Every mention of the impossibility of electing Bryan with 16 to 1 as an issue was heartily greeted.

Speeches at Anti-Bryan Banquet.

Ex-President Cleveland's letter giving his views on the issues before the people received the most applause of the evening.

Mr. Cleveland wrote in part as follows:

When those who profess the Democratic faith meet to celebrate the birth of the man who first gave that faith a distinct formulation their pride in the achievements and triumphs of the party which he founded should not entirely displace all thought of the present situation and the conditions which in the light of experience appear to be essential to its success.

Though the faults of the party in power are many and though its offenses against the political health and safety of the country are flagrant, these things should not encourage us to base an expectation of success and a hope for the restoration of wholesome administration upon the shortcomings of our adversaries.

We should too well understand their ability to attach to their fortunes the powerful contingent of selfish interests to place confident reliance upon the weakness which ought to be the penalty of their misdeeds.

Besides, none of us can close his eyes to the fact that the Democratic party is only formidable in its own strength. Its power to win victories has always been found to depend upon a steadfast consistent adherence to its time-honored principles, which have proved sufficient to meet every emergency of our national life. Whatever successes may have attended a party of opportunity, with sails spread for every transient breeze of popular sentiment or excitement, experience has abundantly demonstrated that Democracy is so constituted that it is only strong when courageous in the right, and only victorious when its forces are marshaled under its old and well organized standards.

Therefore, those who claim to be followers of Thomas Jefferson will fail to discharge a solemn duty if, in this time of doubt and temptation, they neglect such an examination, and if this discloses a tendency in party control to subordinate the principles of pure Democracy and to distrust their conquering power, then conditions should not continue without a brave and early Democratic protest.

I have addressed these words to fellow-Democrats in the full consciousness that I am far removed from any influence in party management, but I love the old Democratic party, and I have written under the sanction of that "freedom of speech" which Thomas Jefferson placed among the cardinal factors of our Democratic creed.

Joseph J. Willett of Alabama in his speech came out frankly and boldly in favor of Judge Augustus Van Wyck for the Democratic nomination for President. The friends of Bryan have held all along that the banquet was arranged in the interest of Van Wyck.

After ex-Governor James E. Campbell of Ohio had finished his speech, declaring 16 to 1 to be dead, one of the diners jumped up and asked:

"Who is your choice for President?"

"Only myself," replied the ex-Governor, and everybody laughed.

Edward M. Shepard, a Vice President of the club and who is talked of for the Democratic nomination for Governor, did not attend the banquet. His absence was much commented upon. He sent a letter saying that he had to entertain some visiting guests.

Joseph J. Willett was the first speaker. His subject was "A Century of Democracy." He began his speech by referring to his friend Judge Augustus Van Wyck and the big vote he polled in Brooklyn two years ago when he was a Candidate for Governor. Mr. Willett said that he supported Bryan four years ago and would support him again if he received a renomination. He was certain, however, that Bryan could not be elected. There was much cheering when he announced that at the primaries held throughout Alabama last Saturday the anti-Bryan Democrats had captured the party machinery of the State. Mr. Willett held that apathy in the North and East was responsible for the general belief that Bryan's renomination was a foregone conclusion.

Wedding bells are to furnish an appropriate climax to the strange drama of rich and eccentric old William Arenfred's will. William Gast—or Arenfred—the young man who won a fortune by the decision on the contest, has won a bride as well, and today, flushed with happiness, he announced his double good fortune. The young woman is Miss Alice D. Weaver of City Island. His share of the estate will amount to $210,000.

First Automobile Wedding Marred By Accident.

Edgar Park, 175 West Fifty-eighth street, and Miss Sue Foote, 117 West Fifty-eighth street, had the first "automobile wedding" New York has known. Unfortunately it was not unmarred by accident. Mr. Park is an attaché of Jarvis Conklin and the North American Trust company. He is a grandson of the late General Clinton B. Fisk of New Jersey. His father was a prominent St. Louis doctor. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Derby Foote. The late Judge Horace Foote of Cleveland, O., for many years law partner of Chief Justice Waite, was her grandfather.

When the bridal procession started from the Savilla Apartment Building on Tuesday there were seven "autos" in line, and they made an imposing parade down Fifth avenue. Everybody reached Grace Church chantry without incident except Mrs. Clinton B. Fisk Jr., Mr. Park's aunt. The operator of the "auto" in which she rode turned on the full current. He was unable to stop in time to avoid collision with the curb, and the "auto" brought up suddenly against the bridal awning. Mrs. Fisk was shaken up and frightened, but unhurt.

On the return trip the "auto" in which Miss Elizabeth Park was riding broke down and the electricity in another gave out. The occupants were stranded for half an hour in the street, and finally a transfer was made to carriages drawn by horses.

Alfred E. Morrison, who has been on trial at White Plains for killing his wife, was acquitted by the jury at Judge Marean's direction. The jury was out only five minutes. When the verdict was announced Morrison jumped to his feet, and, throwing his arms about former Judge Appell, his chief counsel, embraced him. Morrison's defense was that he shot the woman while in a dream, mistaking her for a burglar.

Henry W. Scott Charged with Larceny.

Henry W. Scott, lawyer and promoter, was arrested and arraigned in the Center street police court on Tuesday, charged by Edward Corning, a former business partner, with appropriating the proceeds of a check. The specified charge is the larceny of $208 belonging to a rubber company of which Scott was the organizer and in which Corning is a stockholder. Mr. Scott waived examination and gave $1,000 bail to await the action of the grand jury. Mr. Scott spent several hours in the Tombs prison until his bondsman appeared. Mr. Scott declared in court that his arrest was an act of spite because he had a disagreement with other stockholders in regard to the affairs of the rubber company.

Mr. Scott is 38 years old, yet he has been a Territorial Supreme Court Justice and has held other high offices. He has made several comfortable fortunes. He began his career as a lawyer, being admitted to the bar in Kansas when 16 years old under a special ruling. One month after he came of age he was appointed by President Cleveland to be Registrar of the Land Office at Larned, Kas.

When Oklahoma Territory was opened to settlement by Congress in 1889, Mr. Scott emigrated thither. Soon afterward he was appointed Justice of the Oklahoma Supreme Court by President Cleveland during his second term. Mr. Scott was then 27 years old, the youngest Judge of a United States court who ever sat on the bench. Because of a disagreement with President Cleveland's financial policy he soon tendered his resignation.

Ex-Convict Frightens Miss Jeannette Gilder.

Forger Edward Stoddard, alias John Ward, who was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment at Trenton in April, 1902, had hardly arrived in New York, with the prison mildew still clinging to him, before he made a forcible entry into the editorial rooms of the Critic, where Miss Jeannette Gilder, the author, presided, and scared her by forcing a begging letter on her. Miss Gilder read the letter and then told Stoddard that she could not do anything for him at the time, but that she would consult with her friends in the matter. The ex-convict left and the playwright went immediately to the Charity Organization society and turned the matter over to them, asking if they knew anything about Stoddard. To her inquiry Mr. Devine, the Secretary of the organization, produced a record of Stoddard that would fill a small-sized folio. He said that the ex-convict had not only appealed to Miss Gilder, but that he had been to Louis Tiffany, the decorator, and had also visited Daniel F. Lamont at his home and at his office.

Plans for New English Opera.

Manager Theodore Habelmann, who returns tomorrow to Europe, is confident of the success of the new English opera scheme which is to be inaugurated here in the fall of 1900. He declares, speaking officially, that the funds have been provided for by the formation of a stock company, headed by A. C. Benedict, Frank S. Hastings, and Spencer Trask. It is now understood that a theater is to be built on a site between Forty-second and Forty-ninth streets, Broadway and Fifth avenue.

Dr. Loewe of Berlin will be the general director. Mr. Habelmann, who will be the stage manager, and Reinhold L. Herman, who is to conduct the orchestra, are well known to New-Yorkers.

In his statement Mr. Habelmann mentions as operas to be produced at first—all with newly translated libretti — Gounod's "Faust" and "Romeo and Juliet," Massenet's "Herodiade," and Verdi's "Aida."

He also states that among the artists already engaged are Lillian Blauvelt, Sara Anderson, Clementine Devere, Katherine B. Fiske, Alma Webster Powell, Herbert Witherspoon, Mackenzie Gordon, and George Hamlin.

Episcopal Bishops Called to Conference.

Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church have been called in extraordinary conference for tomorrow to act on the resignation of Bishop Henry Jackson, coadjutor of the Diocese of Alabama, concerning which many rumors have been circulated. On account of the nature of these rumors the church decided to take immediate action and not wait for the convention of the House of Bishops, under the jurisdiction of which the case would naturally come.

It is expected that Bishop Potter will present the results of his visit to Honolulu and the Philippines. He is expected to make a communication relative to the appointment of an American Bishop in Honolulu.

Bishop Whipple of Minnesota is also expected to agitate the appointment of a Bishop for Porto Rico.

Mrs. Howard Gould Fights Dressmaker's Bill.

It was a trying ordeal for a woman of wealth, but Mrs. Howard Gould went to a municipal court today and fought against the payment of an $85 dressmaker's bill. Mme. Mirabella, the first witness, explained that Mrs. Gould some months ago called at her place of business and purchased a ready-made white shirt waist. She contracted at the time to purchase a blue velvet waist to be made to order. She was measured for the blue waist at the time of her first call. The only witnesses heard today were Mme. Mirabella, her fitter, Mrs. Gould, and her maid. It was strictly a battle of the dressmaker and her fitter against the heiress and her maid, without experts on either side, and Judge Stein reserved his decision.

Auctions "The Orphan" at Cuban Fair.

Mrs. George J. Gould and "The Orphan" were the striking lights at the Cuban orphans' fair tonight at the Metropolitan Opera-House. "The Orphan" is the clipped bay polo pony donated by Mrs. Gould to be sold by the Russian auction system. Decked in gorgeous ribbons he was led about the auditorium by his sponsor, after which a group of pretty women, among whom was Lady Mary Sackville, went to the British booth with a train of admirers, and the rush for votes began in earnest. Mrs. Gould acting as auctioneer. The door receipts tonight had reached the $10,000 mark.

Corporation Counsel Whalen announced today that he is preparing suits on behalf of the city to recover $1,200,000 due from various street railway companies for car license fees, percentages of earnings, and repaving the streets between the tracks. This will make all roads in Manhattan and Brooklyn defendants.

Judgment for $40,000 Against Schintz.

Judgment for $40,000 against Theodore H. Schintz, former banker, was entered yesterday afternoon by Judge Shirley in favor of Charles Eckstein, administrator of the estate of Fr—— Ertel. The judgment is the outgrowth of one of the numerous cases which came to light after the Schintz failure in 1897. Eckstein was administrator of the Ertel estate, the heirs living in Germany and South Carolina.

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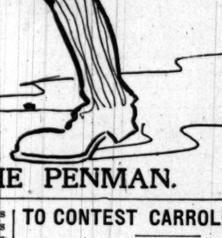
TO CONTEST CARROLL'S SEAT.

Defeated Evanston Candidates Claim Saloonkeeper's Election to Council Is Illegal.

An attempt will be made to prevent the seating of James Carroll in the Evanston City Council. Last night the defeated candidates in the Fifth Ward and prominent members of the temperance organizations of Evanston met at the house of Thomas Cat-



JAMES CARROLL.

low, 1124 Foster street, and decided to make the contest on the grounds of illegal voting. The entire city was startled at the result of the election.

The defeated candidates claim to have knowledge of fifty-eight illegal votes, ten cast by residents of Miles, several by men voting in both precincts, and others by men not naturalized. There are also charges of vote buying.

Carroll and John C. Schuett laugh at the talk of a contest, and declare they do not fear the result. The citizens who voted for the saloonkeeper are planning a reception and dance.

BOLDENWECK FOR BOND ISSUE.

Sends a Special Message to the Drainage Board Concerning Cost of River Improvements.

A bond issue to provide for permanent improvements of the Chicago River, such as widening, deepening, and the erection of bascule bridges, the building of new controlling works, and assisting the Calumet district, was proposed to the Drainage board yesterday by President Boldenweck. In his message he pointed to the movement of the Calumet region residents for admission into the Sanitary District or the creation of a new district. He urged that it was better to issue long time bonds than to tax this generation with the entire cost of the necessary improvements. The matter went to the Engineering committee.

The Engineering committee ordered the law department to begin at once condemnation proceedings to obtain possession of 7,200 feet of property south of Stewart avenue belonging to the Hoyne estate. Fred G. Hoyne, representative of the estate, set the price at $2.50 a square foot, which was thought excessive.

Frank M. Montgomery, owner of the Scherzer rolling lift bridge rights, wanted a royalty of $18,000 a bridge for t huese of the plans of this type of bridge at Eighteenth, Canal, Randolph, and Main streets. If the company takes charge of the work $15,000 cash and a bonus of 8 per cent on the cost is asked, if finally was agreed to have the law department draw up a contract for the Canal street bridge alone, for which Mr. Montgomery believes he can prepare plans for $18,000, and sumbit them at a meeting of the committee tomorrow.

A prize of $1,000 was offered for the best design for controlling works at Robey street.

TO UNITE YOUNG CHURCHMEN.

Reception to Be Held Tonight at the Forty-first Street Presbyterian—Scope of the Movement.

A movement is on foot to affiliate the young men of a number of Chicago churches for the promotion of closer fellowship and encouragement of united effort in behalf of Christian young manhood. A reception will be held tonight at the Forty-first Street Presbyterian Church by the young men of that congregation for the young men of the First, Second, Sixth, Bethlehem, and Englewood Presbyterian and Kenwood Evangelical Churches to further the movement. Pastors and representatives of all the Presbyterian Churches in the city will be present. James L. Houghteling and Henry S. Osborne will address the company.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters, indorsed by physicians and chemists for purity.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT ON CITY WATER.

USABLE LAKE VIEW. GOOD CHICAGO AVE. GOOD 14th ST. BAD HYDE PARK.

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LAKE SHIPPING NEWS.

Vessel Movements.

STURGEON BAY, Wis.—Down—Chipman, 7:30 a. m.; Mills, 3 p. m.

HARBOR BEACH, Mich.—Sheltered—Protector, with lighter. Wind west, fresh.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Cleared—Fitzgerald, Armour, Egan, Buffalo; Manchester, Escanaba.

DULUTH, Minn.—Navigation out of Duluth was opened by the sailing of the steamers Bon Voyage and City of Marquette.

GRAND HAVEN, Mich.—The steamer A. B. Taylor leaves here Friday to go on its run from Chicago to Michigan City.

SOUTH CHICAGO.—Arrived—Nimick, Antrim, Marion, A. Shores. Departed—Yale, Penobscot, Buffalo; A. Shores, Manistee.

MACKINAW CITY, Mich.—The steamer Jesse Spalding, with grain from Chicago, and the passenger steamer State of Michigan, from Detroit, reached this point at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The State of Michigan tied up here for the night, and the Spalding continued on its way, so to it is due the credit of the first finished trip through the straits in 1900.

Port of Chicago.

Arrived—Merchandise—Atlanta: M. Bradshaw, Muskegon; F. & P. M. No. 1, Milwaukee; Georgia, Manitowoc; City of Louisville, Benton Harbor. Cleared—Grain—R. L. Fryer (steamer), Nyanza, J. Oades, C. A. Eddy, Onoko, E. C. Mecosta, Armenia, S. Eddy, Gladstone, New Orleans, C. H. Lockwood, Ioseo, O. Jeanette, Buffalo; R. L. Fryer (schooner), Oak Leaf, Goderich. Merchandise—Georgia, Manitowoc; F. & F. M. No. 1, Milwaukee; Light—M. Dall, Pine Lake; Stafford, Good Harbor; E. C. Pope, Buffalo; H. B. Pereue, Empire; Ionia, Escanaba; E. Buckley, Manistee; Louisville, Benton Harbor; M. Bradshaw, Muskegon.

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Superior and Circuit Court Judgments

Judge Kavanagh—205324—Will B. Moak vs. John Nelson; sy defft., $1,351.62.

Judge Vallingh—161080—Mary C. Sweig vs. City; on findg., $1,000.

Judge Vail—199103—Ray S. Gaskill vs. John and Alexander Davidson; by defft., $2,344.56.

Judge Shirley—178825—Charles Eckstein, admr. etc., of Franz Ertel, decd., vs. Theodore H. and Emil H. Schintz and Ernest Wedeking; on verd. $40,000.

Judge Tuthill—205142—People, use F. Kercherstein, admr., vs. John K. Dryst and John F. Jackowski; by defft., $2,200 debt, $563.22 das, debt to be disch., etc.—200067—Morris Tarker & Co. vs. Curran Dry Kiln Co.; by defft., $609.45.

Judge Dunne—205958—Merchants' Loan & Trust Co. vs. Chi. Gen. Ry. Co.; defft. and judgt., $59,878.33.—205039—Pullman Loan & Savgs. Bank vs. Same; same, $45,342.49.

Judge Gibbons—183445—Thomas Slack vs. City of Chicago; pltf. remits $150 and mot. overid. and judgt., $1,800.

Judge Gibbons—202147—People's Bank of East Orange, N. J., vs. Western Construction Co.; by defft., $1,300.07.

Judge Smith—Corn Exchange Natl. Bank vs. Chi. Gen. Ry.; by defft., $20,208.

Judge Goodwin—County Court—16929—Giovanni Ghirardo vs. Onorato Marinelli; on findg., $128.08 appl.

Decrees.

Judge Stein—4022—Jacobs vs. Jacobs; dec. div.—3946—Ingham vs. Ingham; same.—2146—Drake vs. Stodder, etc.; sale.—3248—White vs. Goodhue; same.—204472—Hewson vs. Frise; dec. sale.

Judge Chetlain—4017—Ballard vs. Ballard; dec. div.—205134—Langhoff vs. Bauermeister; dec. sale.

Judge Tuley—85—Grover vs. Freeman; dec.

Judge Vail—12147—In re petn. of Milowslovosky; dec.

Judge Bishop—11126—Mayford vs. Mayford; dec. div.

Judge Shirley—7065—A. T. & S. Bk. vs. Bjornson; dec. sale.

Judge Garver—11548—Rosen vs. Rosen; dec.

Judge Tuthill—206238—In re petn. Ellsberry; dec. of adoption.

Judge Dunne—11465—Kerr vs. Rynerson; dec. and ord. appg. recvr.—11262—Haines vs. Hainss; dec.—11634—Chlopek vs. Chlopek; dec.—199350—Order of sale.—Child; dec.

Judge Burke—11642—Ill. T. & S. Bk. vs. Magoun; dec. settlement.

Judge Neely—3898—Rutledge vs. Steinhaus; dec.—10438—Grusendorf vs. Reid; dec.—9447—Gregory vs. Jacobs; dec. and appl.—11756—In re petn. Ryan; dec.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

3438—August Eiser, liabilities $1,500, no assets; J. C. Hendricks, atty.

3439—Rudolf Hirtz, liabilities $500, no assets; W. H. Sisson, atty.

3440—Frank Stack, liabilities $800, no assets; same as above.

3441—Edward L. Dalton, liabilities $3,400, no assets; C. H. Wayne, atty.

3442—Glenn Hammond, liabilities $3,100, no assets; Mann & Hiller, attys.

3443—D. W. Wilson, liabilities $3,100, assets $1,000; A. J. Bell, atty.

3444—Michael Hire, liabilities $1,600, no assets; A. E. Morris, atty.

3445—Thomas F. Morrow, liabilities $4,200, no assets; J. M. Humphrey, atty.

3446—John D. Briggs, liabilities $218,100, no assets; J. B. Hoge, atty.

3447—Seward H. Little, liabilities $1,100, no assets; L. Danziger, atty.

Court Calls for Today.

Judge Gibbons—Trial call, 6624, 17882, 167421, 5346, 6709, 6726, 6745, 6767, 19890 on trial.

Judge Kavanagh—In chambers.

Judge Vail—Trial call, 5625, 6048, 6103, 6115, 6126, 6137, 6159, 6172, 6183, 6194, 6216, 6227.

Judge Ball—1440 on trial.

Judge Hanecy—No court.

Judge Chetlain—801 on hearing.

Judge Stein—Motions of course and cases under advisement.

Judge Clifford—Trial call, 21913, 6984, 136443, 5397, 10222, 8501, 8856, 8612, 8190, 8212 on trial.

Judge Neely—Trial call, 6419, 10706, 10723, 10857, 16022, 15346, 13337, 113731, 14415, 13468, 16161, 16274, 16302, 10068.

Judge Smith—Trial call, 6157, 7189, 7067, 7211, 7222, 7133, 6225, 6911 on trial.

Judge Holdom—Trial call, 4964, 5319, 6376, 6378, 6110, 6136, 6309, 5666, 6385, 6389, 3960 on trial.

Judge Tuthill—Chancery cases, 5099, 9811, 3191, 10607, 11260, 4447.

Judge Burke—Trial call, 18136, 13169, 13361, 18454, 13498, 5026, 13587, 13508, 13600, 13620, 13652, 13684, 13728, 13739, 13750.

Judge Chetlain—Trial call, 2176, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 4558, 4559, 4642, 4743, 4745, 4750, 4753, 4754, 4810, 4818, 5044, 2183, 4819, 4820, 4824, 4827, 4857, 4466, 4901, 2201, 2380, 1507, 2180 on trial.

Judge Shirley—Trial call 8834, 10020, 10229, 6404, 10361, 10364, 10405, 10416, 10426, 10427, 10428, 10582, 10637, 10670, 10725, 10726, 10780, 10781, 10790, 10849, 10853, 10854, 10855, 10856, 10857, 10858, 10859, 10860, 10861, 10862, 10863, 10864, 10865, 10866, 10867, 10868, 10869, 10870, 10871, 10872, 10873, 10874, 10875, 10876, 10877, 10878, 10879, 10880, 10881, 10882, 10883, 10884, 10885, 10886, 10887, 10888, 10889, 10890, 10891, 10892,

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Barbara Frietchie Discredited.

A correspondent of THE TRIBUNE writes to this paper, in the matter of the recent discussion of the Barbara Frietchie incident before the Congressional Claims committee, that his cousin, Warner McKinsey, was a godson of Barbara, and was living in Frederick when the rebel column passed through the town. He says: "They did not pass the dear old lady's house, and the only peg to hang the story on is the fact that a small boy who owned an American flag got frightened and took it to the old lady, who kept it for him. A young lady standing by the roadside did flourish the flag in their faces as they passed by, and it was the only one." This seems to bring up a question of veracity as between THE TRIBUNE correspondent's cousin and Colonel Abbott of Frederick, who says his wife stood by Barbara when she waved the flag. The conflict of statement will warrant Senator Depew in returning to his doubts, but until it hears further from Colonel Abbott THE TRIBUNE will persist in its belief that Barbara waved the flag and thus protest against the spirit of the iconoclasts. If Barbara did not wave it who is the young lady who did? In any event the flag was waved by some one. The iconoclasts cannot cheat us out of that.

Children's Names Due to Boer War.

Among the innocent victims of a war are the children born during its progress who are condemned to carry through life names commemorating the commanders and their battles. The American children were rather lucky, inasmuch as Dewey, Manila, and Havana, the favorite names, are euphonious. But what of the luck of the babies born in Britain? The London Graphic investigated the parish registers and found some horrible names fastened upon infants. Two named Majuba had about the prettiest of all, and the prophet who anticipated history by calling his little girl Pretoria gave her a name that does not grate harshly upon the ear. There were babies named Bloemfontein, Jacobsdaal, Paardeberg, and Elandslaagte, who will probably be nicknamed "Bloom," "Jake," "Parry," and "Ely," and who will have much trouble spelling their name whenever they wish to have goods sent home. The favorite names of Generals were Powell and White, which are not so bad. Robertsa is reported a popular name for girls, and one young woman a few months old is known as Robertsa Ladysmith Masterson, which is a good deal of name for a child of her size. The registrar told the reporter that no parents with pro-Boer tendencies have ventured to call their babies after Kruger. "I have sat in this chair for twenty-five years," he said, "but I think I would resign rather than enter a British baby by such a title."

Women as Census Enumerators.

Supervisor Elliott of Hawarden, who has charge of the taking of the census in the Eleventh Iowa district, announces that he will employ several women as enumerators, and some have already been appointed. The farmers in Buena Vista, Cherokee, Clay, Dickinson, Ida, Lyon, Monona, O'Brien, Osceola, Plymouth, Sac, Sioux, and Woodbury Counties may, therefore, expect to be visited by young women with portfolios under their arms, who will ask the long list of questions prepared by Director of Census Merriam and his assistants. The employment of women as enumerators will be an innovation in Iowa. A few women were employed ten years ago, but they were so rare as to attract much attention. Supervisor Elliott, however, expects to employ many in this capacity. There is no reason why they should not succeed, and that they have not more often been employed is due, probably, to the fact that they have no votes. It is a tradition that women are inquisitive, and if this be true the members of the sex are well qualified to ask the many questions that must be put by a census-taker. The employment of women will insure more accurate age statistics. The woman who discounts her age by 50 per cent might fool a gallant man, but there is no member of her sex who cannot tell what the age really is. Hence, if many women are employed as enumerators statisticians will know how to account for the sudden increase in the average age of women of America, as shown by the census returns.

United States Senators.

The House joint resolution for the submission of an amendment to the constitution allowing the voters to elect Senators direct has been referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections of the Senate. There it will slumber. But what has just happened in two Southern States shows that where favorable conditions exist the election of a Senator is practically in the hands of the voters with the constitution as it is. The question whether Senator Morgan of Alabama shall succeed himself or give way to Governor Johnstone was referred for decision to the legislative primaries, which have just been held. They were well attended and the Senator carried every county. As the Legislature will be Democratic he is sure of reëlection. Representative Bailey of Texas desires to go to the Senate in place of Senator Chilton, who would like to stay where he is. Both gentlemen chose the legislative primaries as their battleground. At the primaries thus far held the popular will has been expressed so unmistakably in favor of Mr. Bailey that Senator Chilton has decided to give up the contest. In Texas, as in Alabama, the merits of rival candidates were discussed fully before the people, and they picked out the man they preferred. The members of the Legislature will simply register the verdict of the voters. It is not surprising that Senators from such States should not believe a change in the method of electing Senators is needful. There are States, however, where an expression of the popular will cannot be had at legislative primaries so easily as in Alabama or Texas. There are States where "the organization" bosses the primaries, and the people do not, and the choice of a Senator is out of the reach of the latter. Those are the States whose citizens might gain by a change in the mode of electing Senators.

SENATOR HOAR'S DELUSION.

Senator Hoar is possessed by a false belief, which vitiates his arguments and makes his plaintive appeals on behalf of the Filipinos ludicrous. His delusion is that the Malay and other native inhabitants of the Philippines are competent to govern themselves. History does not so teach. The men who are acquainted with the Malays in the Philippines and elsewhere have told of their unfitness for self-government. None of these things have had any influence on Senator Hoar. He remains infatuated with the Malays to a pathetic degree. Aguinaldo reminds him of Kossuth and Nathan Hale, and the papers written by him and some of his subordinates seem to the Senator "not unworthy of the Asiatic mind, the vehicle through which came to us the poetry of David, the eloquence of Isaiah, the wisdom of Solomon, the profound philosophy of Paul."

This confusing of the Semitic and the Malay mind under the general name of "Asiatic mind" is not permissible. The Semitic mind has done much for humanity. The Malay mind has done nothing. But even if the Malayans of the Philippines were as poetic as David or as wise as his son, it would not follow that they are able to establish an independent government or to maintain such a government if it were established for them.

The Malays of the Philippines have no David and no Solomon, and, more unfortunate still, they have no capacity for self-government. If left to themselves the powers of government would be seized by some ambitious person, calling himself President or Sultan, and would be retained by him until some other ambitious person got up a successful revolution and took them away from him. Foreign governments are familiar with Malay nature and the "Asiatic mind," if Senator Hoar is not. Therefore, if they were invited, as the Senator desires them to be, to unite in an agreement that the "free and independent government" he wishes this country to establish in the Philippines was not to be interfered with, they, knowing the instability of that government to maintain itself, would decline the invitation. And if the United States, acting on Senator Hoar's suggestion, were to "require all foreign governments to keep out of the islands" it had given up title to those governments would consult their own convenience in the matter. Whenever one of them came into collision with whatever government there was in the islands it would proceed to seize what territory it wanted.

The Senator would leave the Filipinos free to work out their own salvation under the shield of the Monroe doctrine, which he would have protect them as if they were Mexicans, Haytians, or Venezuelans. As the Filipinos are less able to govern themselves than any of those inhabitants of this hemisphere the extension to them of the Monroe doctrine would simply involve this country in distant and costly wars.

The ability and the eloquence of Senator Hoar are undisputed. It is a pity that both should become valueless by reason of his being the victim of a fixed idea—of the delusion that Malays are competent to govern themselves. Were they, much of what he said day before yesterday would be deserving of consideration. They are not, however, and as a consequence he consumed in vain his own strength and three hours of the Senate's time.

CARNEGIE'S LIBRARY BENEFACTIONS.

Andrew Carnegie has again signalized his devotion to literary knowledge by the splendid gift of $3,600,000 to the Pittsburg Library, the sum necessary for the proposed extension and enlargement of the present building, towards the erection and equipment of which he had previously donated $3,400,000, making in the aggregate $7,000,000. This will be a sum sufficient to insure to Pittsburg the finest library in the United States, with the possible exception of the Congressional Library in Washington.

During 1899 Mr. Carnegie made gifts to American libraries, already constructed or in prospect, aggregating $3,503,500. These institutions were thirty-four in number, located in fifteen States and Territories, the largest donations being to Washington, Atlanta, Pennsylvania State College, Pittsburg, and Louisville. In the first three months of this year his donations have exceeded those of all last year and are as follows:

Pittsburg	$3,600,000
Cooper Union	300,000
Davenport	50,000
San Antonio	50,000
Ottumwa, Ia.	50,000
East Orange, N. J.	50,000
York, Pa.	50,000
Coal Center, Pa.	50,000
Covington, Ky.	40,000
Mechanics' society, New York	25,000
Chillicothe, Mo.	25,000
Leavenworth, Kas.	25,000
Jefferson City, Mo.	25,000
Blairsville, Pa.	10,000
Grand Junction, Colo.	5,000
Total	$4,860,000
Total of 1899	3,503,500
Grand total	$7,863,500

This is the magnificent aggregate of Mr. Carnegie's benefactions to libraries, covering a period of less than sixteen months. Of these gifts some have not been actually made yet, as the limit of time has not expired in which the beneficiaries were to raise an amount equal to the original donation, but it is not likely Mr. Carnegie will be obliged to cancel any gift by reason of such a failure, so that the sum total accurately represents his donations to American libraries since Jan. 1, 1899. It is a splendid record of generosity and no man in this country has done better or made a better use of his money. To the extent that he has subtracted from the sum of his wealth he has permanently added to the sum of human knowledge. And yet Mr. Carnegie, if he proposes to die poor, as he recently announced, must give away much faster than he is giving now, for the income vastly exceeds the outgo and meanwhile time is flying. He has no guaranty of life and it may happen that he may pass away without fulfilling his philanthropic purpose and die rich after all. The surest way for him to make good his system would be to adopt Dr. Pearson's drastic plan, take in sail, come to anchor, and begin discharging his cargo.

This last great gift by Mr. Carnegie adds substantially to the record of the donations to art and literature in the last sixteen months. During 1899 they reached the magnificent figure of $62,750,000. This year bids fair to outdo last year, the amount recorded since Jan. 1 being already about $12,000,000, and the first quarter of the year always shows a smaller total than the other three. Over one-fourth of the amount for the present year has been contributed by Mr. Carnegie alone, but he must hurry up or his fortune will get hopelessly ahead of him and he may die rich.

REGULATING THE SUFFRAGE.

The regulation of the suffrage continues in various Southern States and in various ingenious ways. In Louisiana it has been so regulated that a State election was held on Tuesday in which for the first time in many years two of the opposing candidates were of the same party. It was the first election under the revised constitution. The revised section disfranchises all voters who cannot read and write, or who do not pay taxes on $200 worth of property, unless they are descended from a man who voted before 1867. As this nullifies the votes of a large majority of the negroes, the Democrats paid no further attention to them, and one faction fused with a faction of Republicans and got beaten. There will be no negro voting of consequence for a long time in Louisiana.

In North Carolina, where the State campaign has been just opened, an equally drastic plan of disfranchising negroes is contemplated, and it will be the leading issue in the campaign. The principal feature of the proposed constitutional amendment regulating the suffrage is an educational clause requiring that voters shall be able to read and write any section of the federal constitution in English. To insure the Democratic party from any loss by this provision, it is further provided, in the same roundabout way as in Louisiana, that it shall not apply to white men. Charles B. Aycroch, the Democratic candidate for Governor, ingenuously explained the purpose of the amendment in his speech of acceptance. He said: "It requires of the negro the qualification of education because he has it not by inheritance, and demands of the white man only that he possess it by inheritance. It boldly recognizes the claims of the hereditary fitness of the whites." Perhaps the chairman of the nominating convention stated it more accurately, certainly more concisely, when he said: "By the eternal God, any white man shall vote."

An illiterate white is not a desirable voter. His ignorance is certainly an element of danger to the suffrage. If the Democratic Governor had said that the whites had inherited the governing power, and hence were the only ones fit to have the suffrage, it would have been more to the purpose and more nearly correct.

Illiterate whites are to be allowed to vote, not because they have inherited education, but because they are white. The illiterate black is not to be allowed to vote, not because he has not inherited an education, but because his skin is not white. The Democrats of North Carolina would have been more consistent and courageous if they had stated the exact truth.

LITERARY UNIONS.

It is commonly believed that the book worm is as free from real affection as is the earth worm and that the bibliophile knows not the grand passion. Yet this is assuming in literature the same attitude that Peter Bell preserved towards the primrose. A volume on the book shelf's brim a simple volume is to him who knows not the begullements of books, but to the real literature lover there is something human and personal in his devotion. It is this that keeps the book worm at home when the rest of the world is gadding. He has not the heart to turn his back upon the reproachful covers of several hundred volumes, and no matter where he roams his library is his Suwanee River. And, should he ever chance to roam, his return is like coming into his kingdom. In the exuberance of his spirits he no longer speaks of Miss Austen and Mr. Meredith, but it is "Jane" and "George," and he is ever capable of being familiar with the apostle of culture to the extent of greeting him as "Matthew."

One of the most natural objections recently made against matrimony was the inability to bear with equanimity the monotonous appearance of the same face at the family board. In these literary alliances one escapes this kind of ennui. For at the literary board one is not ever obliged to sit through one whole meal with the same partner. One may have Jane Austen with the soup, Kipling with the meat, and when there are nuts to be cracked there is no better company than George Meredith. And these loyal companions never test one's fidelity by growing old. There are no silver threads among the gold, but, on the contrary, there is perennial youth and a variety not to be staled by custom.

MR. RICHARDSON'S COPYRIGHT.

One of the mysterious features of the "Messages and Documents" compiled by Congressman Richardson and now privately sold by him is the copyright mark on the last seven of the ten volumes. This practically announces that Mr. Richardson has the sole right to reproduce the messages of the Presidents of the United States from Washington to McKinley. Nobody knows who gave the Democratic minority leader this valuable monopoly in documents supposed to belong to the American people for all time. He does not state on what he bases his claim to a copyright on a government publication, but he and his partners do say on the floor of Congress that they object to the government's issuing any more free copies of its own publication.

When Mr. Richardson first began compiling these messages and documents as a part of his regular Congressional work he had no thought of copyrighting them. Even when he was imploring Congress to make him a present of a set of duplicate plates he stated in open debate that "you cannot copyright a government publication; the law is explicit." Yet the next volume issued from the public printing office bore the legend, "Copyright, 1897, by James D. Richardson." The effrontery of putting this stamp upon a book which the government was issuing has been accounted for by later events, but nobody has arisen to explain how such a copyright claim could have any validity. Mr. Richardson of all men must have known the worthlessness of such a claim, for he himself framed the law that rendered it impossible to copyright any government publication. That law provided for the sale of duplicate plates of government publications, and Congressman Dingley, foreseeing some such scheme as that in which Mr. Richardson is now involved, offered an amendment in these words:

> And provided, further, That no publication reprinted from such stereotype or electrotype plates, and no other government publication, shall be copyrighted.

Mr. Richardson accepted this amendment, remarking that he did not believe a government publication could be copyrighted by any one, and adding: "I would not be in favor of making it a monopoly, or of selling it to one person, or allowing him to copyright it or put his own price upon it." This took place in September, 1893, and the Richardson idea, with the Dingley amendment, was finally enacted in the public printing act of 1895. Yet two years later Mr. Richardson, having become a beneficiary of his part of the law, coolly violated the other part by claiming to copyright a valuable government publication, and he still has the assurance to trade upon the pretended authority of that copyright mark, and at the same time to oppose any government competition with the lucrative monopoly that has good-naturedly been allowed to fall into his hands.

The pretense of copyright in this case means absolutely nothing if brought to a legal test. It is merely one of a number of pretenses connected with the "Committee of Distribution" enterprise. This raises the query whether the copyright is not being abused in other ways, and whether it has not been allowed to lapse into a farce. The present Librarian of Congress recently stated that many of the books claiming to be copyrighted were not entitled to the claim, because all the provisions of the law were not complied with; yet nobody has ever been punished for abuse of the copyright privilege. Congressman Richardson's example is not of a kind to encourage respect for the law.

THE TURK WILL NOT PAY.

The Sultan of Turkey promised over a year and a half ago that certain American missionaries should be paid $100,000 for damages done to their buildings and personal property by some of his subjects. But that promise has not been kept, and there are no signs that it will be. The Sultan is an extravagant but not a wealthy potentate. His officers often go unpaid for long periods. Not having much money at his command, he dislikes to hand over to "Christian dogs" even a little of what he has.

A few centuries ago the remedy resorted to in a case of this kind was simple. If English subjects, for instance, had been robbed of their goods and chattels in some foreign land, and could not get immediate redress from its ruler, then the seizure would be ordered of all the property of the subjects of that ruler within English jurisdiction. This method of collecting debts gave place to another, which was practiced by England and other European powers on several occasions. This was to seize one of the ports of the country which would not pay its debts, collect the revenues, and apply them to the payment of the bill.

That is not a method of getting even with the Sultan which the United States can afford to resort to. It could send to Asia Minor a fleet more powerful than any the Sultan could collect. It might destroy every town from Smyrna to Acre, inflicting on Turkish subjects infinitely more loss than the missionaries have suffered. That would not benefit the latter, however. Owing to the superiority which the Turks would have on land, it would be quite out of the question to seize a custom-house and collect duties there until the debt was paid.

One thing the United States can do if its last demand for the payment of the money due the missionaries is unsuccessful. That is to show its displeasure by breaking off diplomatic relations with Turkey. The representative of that country at Washington can be handed his passports and told to go home. The American Minister can be recalled from Constantinople, and if taken off the pay-roll $10,000 a year will be saved to the taxpayers. But if the Turkish government should take this action in ill-part, then the missionaries, who have been laboring for many years in different parts of the Sultan's dominions, will have a harder time of it than ever.

If, as is alleged, England, France, and Italy have like unsatisfied claims on account of their subjects, it might be well for the State department to see if unity of action cannot be secured. The Sultan would be more likely to pay up in that event.

For New Quarantine Regulations.

There are now three bills in Congress looking toward a more effective quarantine system. Senator Spooner's bill proposes practically to relegate the actual enforcement of quarantine to State and local authorities, and Congressman Mahon's bill proposes to accomplish the same object by means of a commission composed of members from each State and Territory, acting under the Treasury department. These represent the opposition to the centralization of quarantine powers in the present Marine Hospital service. The third bill, introduced a few days ago by Senator Vest, champions the cause of the Marine Hospital service and aims simply to amend the act of 1893, so as to increase the utility of the quarantine machinery already in existence. Apparently the last-named measure is the best from the view point of efficacy. The chief requisite of the quarantine is power of quick action when an epidemic threatens, coupled with the least possible interference with commerce and with travel. This would be more likely to be found in a centralized and fully equipped body like the Marine Hospital Corps than in the independent action of local authorities or in a widely scattered interstate committee. It does not appear that the Marine Hospital service would interfere with local quarantines when reasonably well enforced. This bill is substantially the same as that of Senator Caffery, which seemed to be on the point of passage by the last Congress, when the Spanish war threw all minor matters into the background.

A PLOT FOR A FARCE.

The theatrical managers who are driven to translate bad French farces because of the lack of dramatic material in this country should read the newspapers. In THE TRIBUNE of Tuesday, for instance, they will find a little story which would furnish the plot for a farce at once novel and clean.

Albert Nelson, the leading man, was the animal trainer for a circus. He fell in love with a pretty Chicago girl, who is, of course, the leading lady. Her mother, who opposed the marriage of the young couple, may pass as the heavy villain of the play. Albert, though used to the taming of lions and tigers, is badly frightened by his prospective mother-in-law, but finally persuades the young woman to run away with him, and the curtain falls on the first act.

The opening of the second act discloses Albert and Cora happily married and living at a boarding-house, with a chorus of star boarders, pretty waitresses, and stern landladies in the background. One morning Albert is called away to attend to a refractory leopard and Cora goes out to visit relatives. She calls at the home of an aunt and is detained there for a week. Albert comes home at nightfall and finds his wife gone. There is not even a note from the bride to tell of her whereabouts. Albert is naturally in despair. He seeks in vain for some trace of her and finally gives up the case as hopeless and moves to another part of the city, hoping, no doubt, that some of his wild beasts may end his sorrow. The curtain falls at the end of this act with the audience in tears.

Pretty Mrs. Nelson is discovered at the commencement of the third act calling at the boarding-house where she and her husband have spent such happy days. She finds the rooms unoccupied and concludes that her husband has deserted her. By advice of her aunt she takes out a warrant charging her husband with this crime. At this point a ballet of policemen and justices of the peace might be introduced, together with some realistic scenery representing the interior of the Desplaines Street Police Station, and possibly a topical song by Inspector Shea.

The sleuths of the law go out and hunt Albert to the lair of his wild beasts. They literally take him out of the lion's mouth. He is dragged back to prison. There he finds the unhappy Cora. He explains that he never meant to desert her, thinking instead that she had run away from him. She declares that she still loves him. They fall into each other's arms at the front center of the stage and the curtain falls amidst the cheers of the crowded house.

Speaking of Burglars.

New York seems to have been only moderately impressed with Chief Kipley's rules for dealing with burglars. The World evidently suspects that the Chicago Chief of Police has been reading "Editha's Burglar," whence the advice that the unarmed victim shall "baffle the burglar by complacency." This rule is treated by the Gotham editor with a suspicion of levity. He confesses that the adult New-Yorker cannot be so complacent as little Editha in the society of burglars because he is not so innocent and guileless. As for the rule, "Shoot your burglar if you can," the World agrees that there are no good burglars but dead ones, yet it points out the disconcerting fact that the burglar might shoot first. It therefore advises its readers to remain poor and adopt the motto, "Blessed be nothing." If any are so unfortunate as to be unable to avoid being millionaires their only course is to fit their houses with bolts, bars, burglar alarms, watch dogs, and a crying infant. Therein speaks the effete East. There are too many red blood corpuscles in the Chicago method to suit Father Knickerbocker.

FROM present indications it may be predicted that General Buller will eat his next Christmas dinner in Coventry.

ARRANGING for trouble with Turkey, are you, Brother Jonathan? Where are you going to get your sympathy this time?—John Bull.

COLONEL MOSE WETMORE of St. Louis seems to have displaced Colonel Abe Slupsky as a popular hero.

WITH the highest possible respect for Uncle George F. Hoar of Massachusetts, the United States is not a "splendid confederacy of republics," by any manner of means.

CHICAGO is something more than a mere hero worshiper, as Helen Gould will find when she comes here.

IF Cap'n Jimmy Ryan "captains" as well as he plays baseball he will be entitled to a Major Generalship at the close of the summer campaign.

AS MR. GATES will observe, there seem to be several lies that need wire nailing.

PROFITING by the result of his labors as a reformer in Chicago, it may be assumed that Mr. E. Benjamin Andrews will allow the Nebraskans to rush headlong to their doom in any style of spelling they choose.

IN A MINOR KEY.

What Æsop Failed to Add.

Now the Fox, after having found the grapes beyond his reach and declared them to be sour, as already recorded, went to a currant bush that chanced to be near and immediately grabbed off a bunch of the red, luscious-looking currants.

"They're sour, too!" he complained bitterly, after tasting them.

Hæc fabula docet ut old Æsop didn't know it all.

Clearly His Due.

Pale with astonishment and mortification, he rose and confronted the young woman.

"Your answer, then, Glycerine McCurdy, is 'no,' is it?"

"It is, Mr. Welton," she rejoined, with something like scorn.

"It is not what I had a right to expect from you, heartless coquette!"

"'O, it isn't!'" she said, mockingly. "It ought to have been something else, ought it?"

"Yes," he said, buttoning his coat and putting on his gloves. "To a man of my age you should have said 'no, sir'! I wish you good evening, Miss McCurdy."

Singular Ignofance.

"I am delighted with Paris," the young girl wrote to her friend, "on this side of the briny deep, "although I have been here only one day. What strikes me as very singular is the ignorance of the people. I asked more than a dozen persons yesterday where I could find the Champs Elysées, and none of them seemed to know of the existence of such a place. They merely shrugged their shoulders and looked puzzled."

Opposed to It.

"What do you think, Senator," asked the reporter, "of the proposition to elect the members of the Upper House of Congress by direct vote of the people?"

"I look upon it," responded Senator Lotsmun, severely, "as simply another assault of the cheap demagogues upon the—er—money power."

The Motive.

"I will ask you now," the attorney for the prosecution said to the witness, "if the defendant in this case confessed to you his motive in shooting the deceased."

"Hold on!" interposed the attorney for the defense. "I object."

"I only want to find out whether—"

"I object!"

Legal wrangle of half an hour.

"The witness may answer," ruled the Judge.

"Now, then, sir, I will ask you again. Did or did not the prisoner confess to you his motive in shooting the deceased?"

"He did."

"What was it?"

"He wanted to kill him."

PERSONALS.

General Lew Wallace has just received a copy of "Ben-Hur" translated into Persian and published in Egypt.

Lord Kelvin, the physicist, has been made honorary Colonel of the Volunteer Corps of Electrical Engineers, organized recently for service in south Africa. He will not go to the front.

Mrs. Hammond of Swaffham Manor, Norfolk, England, who died not long ago at the age of 94, was the daughter of Mary Chaworth, whom the poet Byron loved so hopelessly. Miss Chaworth married a Mr. Musters, who took the name of Chaworth.

Captain Theodore Mathenyi, who died in Philadelphia last week, was intimately concerned in one of the most thrilling episodes of the civil war. A Hungarian, he was a Lieutenant in General Fremont's bodyguard. Sept. 26, 1861, this body of cavalry, numbering 300 men, was ordered to capture Springfield, Mo., which was held by 2,000 men. Mathenyi was ordered to take thirty men and attack 300. The charge was successful for its boldness.

The London Graphic says that the Queen's action in bestowing upon Lady Roberts the Victoria Cross, which was awarded to her ill-fated son, although of rare occurrence, is not altogether unique. The first case in which the much-coveted distinction was conferred upon a deceased soldier was during the Indian mutiny, when the fuse attached to some powder bags placed at the gate of one of the enemy's forts proving ineffectual, an officer coolly held his lighted cigar to the explosive and blew the gate, was blown to atoms. Another posthumous bestowal was that conferred upon Lieutenants Melvill and Coghill, whose heroic behavior with the colors at Isandhlwana is still fresh in the memory.

Folly of Killing Birds.

Representative Lacey of Iowa is hearing a great deal these days about his bill for the protection of insectivorous and song birds and for a prohibition on such game that has become subject to interstate commerce laws, unless that game is killed in accordance with State laws. Yesterday he held in his hand an urgent telegram from the Virginia Division League of American Sportsmen, asking that the bill be taken up and passed.

"Perhaps you have noticed," observed Mr. Lacey, "that you can hardly open an apple nowadays without finding codwebs and the ravages of worms. The horticulturists say this is due to the indiscriminate killing of birds, which, until a year or two ago, were sufficient to destroy many of these natural enemies to growing fruits. In the same way in many harbors along the coasts there are complaints at the disappearance of gulls and terns, birds that by nature are scavengers and keep the waters of harbors free from many kinds of objectionable refuse. These sea birds are protected by State laws, but nevertheless they are secretly killed and shipped into other States. At present there is no law to punish the transportation of game unlawfully killed.

"Horticulturists, and especially farmers, from all over the country are clamoring for greater protection to birds. Their destruction is due to more than the cause for millinery adornments. Hunters are depleting the number of birds, and the balance, long maintained in the destruction of insects, has been disturbed."—Washington Post.

Open to Suspicion.

"That gentleman in No. 17," said the hotel clerk, "says this is his first visit to Philadelphia, and he thinks the town's great."

"What!" exclaimed the proprietor. "Make him pay in advance; there's something crooked about him."

"O, I don't think so."

"You don't? Didn't he register from New York?"—Philadelphia Press

WHAT SEVEN NEW WOMEN ARE DOING

NEWSPAPER OWNED, MANAGED, AND PRINTED BY WOMEN.—From the pressroom to the composing-room every employé of the Fairfax (S. C.) Enterprise is a woman. Mrs. Virginia D. Young owns the paper and acts as its editor. She has women subeditors, women reporters, women compositors, and a pretty little girl takes the place and does the work of the traditional newspaper "devil." Women run the presses, solicit the advertisements, make up the forms, and mail the papers. Mrs. Young herself is a novelist and lecturer, and is also serving as the President of the South Carolina Woman's Suffrage association. She bought the Fairfax Enterprise for the purpose of demonstrating that women were as competent as men in newspaper work, and under her management the paper has grown in circulation and in advertising patronage. The office of the woman's newspaper is a model of neatness. Even the compositors and the press women wear white aprons and keep them spotlessly clean. The Enterprise takes little part in politics, but devotes itself to "covering the news" of the world as completely as possible. One of its leading features is a love story, which occupies four columns of the first page. Considerable attention is paid to sporting news, and descriptions of prize fights are not altogether barred.

Mrs. Virginia D. Young.

CHICAGO WOMAN WINS FAME ABROAD.—Miss Janet Russell Perkins of Chicago, who recently took the degree of doctor of philosophy at the University of Heidelberg with the highest possible honors, has since been made a member of several leading German scientific societies, an honor which rarely comes to a woman. Before going to Germany Miss Perkins studied at both the University of Wisconsin and the University of Chicago. During her stay abroad she has taken courses in Berlin and at Heidelberg. She has studied botany, zoölogy, physics, and chemistry, though botany has always been her specialty. The paper which won her the doctor's degree was on the monimiceæ, a species of plant found in South America and tropical Africa. She passed her examinations multa cum laude, which is the highest possible mark for either man or woman. At present Dr. Perkins is residing in Berlin, where she is engaged in scientific research and laboratory work.

Miss Janet Perkins.

CROWNED THE QUEEN OF BEAUTY.—While Governor General Wood and his associates have been busy trying to give Cuba a good government the society people of Havana have been occupied with a beauty contest, instituted by a weekly paper of the Cuban capital. The votes for the various candidates were cast by the subscribers of the paper, and were counted by a committee of women, at the head of which was the beautiful Señora de Pulido, who was herself the winner in a similar contest held a few years ago. Señorita Sylvia Alfonso y Aldama was found to have the largest number of votes, and as a consequence she will be crowned the Queen of Beauty. Her leading competitors will act as her maids of honor at the ceremony, and the society poets of Havana are already preparing odes in her honor. Señorita Alfonso was born in Paris, where she was also educated. She has often visited the New York, and is well known in society there. In appearance she is tall, dark, and graceful, with an olive complexion and black hair and eyes. Her grandfather was Miguel Aldama, the Cuban patriot, who impoverished himself in supporting the cause of the insurgents during the ten years' war.

Sylvia Alfonso y Aldama.

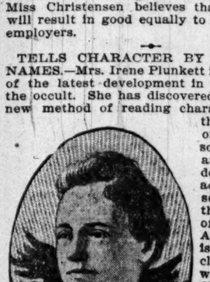
SWEET SIXTEEN AND A FAMOUS SHOT.—Auburn, Ind., has a new toast in the person of Miss Edith Rickel, who is only 16 years old and is already noted as one of the best wing shots in the State. Often during the hunting season Miss Edith comes from a day in the woods and marshes with a heavy bag of rabbits and ducks. On the traps she is especially expert. Recently she shot at fifty targets, unknown angles and traps and sixteen yards rise, and scored thirty-nine breaks. She has only been shooting for six months, and each time out shows remarkable improvement. Having tasted the pleasure of hunting, the young woman declares that no other sport can compare with it. She is planning a great campaign after quail and prairie chicken this fall, and is now engaged in training an English setter to hunt without flushing the coveys.

Miss Edith Rickel.

FOR AN INTERNATIONAL UNION OF HOUSEHOLD SERVANTS.—If the plans of Marie Christensen do not miscarry the household servants of the world will within a few years be organized into an international trades union. Miss Christensen, who is employed in the household of a prominent resident of Copenhagen, Denmark, has already organized there a union of domestic servants, with no less than 1,500 members. In Germany the movement has been indorsed by the powerful Socialist party, and unions have been formed with its assistance in Berlin and Hamburg. Now, it is said, organizers are quietly working in both England and the United States. The Copenhagen union, which is the parent of the others, has now been in successful progress for more than a year. It demands for its members nine hours' work, with extra pay if more hours are worked; a separate room for each servant employed; and the same food as that served to the family. Members are also to be allowed to spend their leisure time according to their own pleasure, and if they remain in the house are not to be called upon to do any work. It is now proposed to establish in Copenhagen a woman's institute, with a cooking school and a course of lectures calculated to teach women to become good domestic servants. Miss Christensen believes that her plans will result in good equally to servants and employers.

Marie Christensen.

TELLS CHARACTER BY COLOR OF NAMES.—Mrs. Irene Plunkett is the apostle of the latest development in the realm of the occult. She has discovered an entirely new method of reading character. Given the full name of any person, she can at once give a detailed and accurate description of the character of its bearer. At least that is the modest claim put forward by the discoverer of the new cult. In the occult eye of Mrs. Plunkett each letter of the alphabet has a color, and each color stands for certain characteristics, which may be modified by the color of the letters adjoining it. Mrs. Plunkett declares that people are unconsciously influenced by "soul vibrations" in selecting names for their children, and that when they look through the list in the back of the dictionary some secret and unknown power forces them to select Clarence, for instance, instead of Peter. If this explanation is not understood, Mrs. Plunkett declares that the fault lies not with her but with those who are not yet able to grasp the mysteries of the occult.



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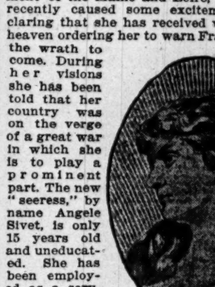
MAY BE A NEW JOAN OF ARC.—A young peasant girl living in the Department of the Maine and Loire, France, has recently caused some excitement by declaring that she has received visions from heaven ordering her to warn France against the wrath to come. During her visions she has been told that her country was on the verge of a great war in which she is to play a prominent part. The new "seeress," who is only 15 years old and uneducated. She has been employed as a servant in the family of the Mayor of Tremblay, and it was while on an errand for her master that she first heard the voice of her celestial visitor calling to her from a tree. Frightened, she fell on her knees, but she was soon reassured, and gained courage to look up and see that the voice was that of an angel, clothed in robes of white. So much excitement has been caused by the alleged revelations of the young peasant that pilgrims from all over France are said to visit her at Tremblay. She claims that new revelations are made to her almost daily, and the credulous are beginning to look upon her as a second Joan of Arc.



Mlle. Angele Sivet.

AMONG THE NEW BOOKS.

It will be remembered by all lovers of music who visited the Columbian Exposition that there was displayed in the musical department of the Manufactures building a unique collection of antique spinets, clavichords, and pianos, among them the identical instruments owned by Mozart, Haydn, Beethoven, and others of the masters. The owner of these treasures is Morris Steinert of New Haven, Conn. The remembrance will emphasize the satisfaction of these same lovers of music that the "Reminiscences of Morris Steinert" (Putnam) have now appeared in handsome book form, compiled and edited by Mrs. Jane Marlin.

The reminiscences of such a man deserve to be made public as a valuable contribution to the history of music in the United States, for the subject of them was not only a musician deeply cherishing music for music's sake but as teacher, player, conductor, music dealer, and collector he had a wide and interesting experience.

Steinert was born in Bavaria in 1831 in humble life and in an environment of poverty. He managed, however, to take lessons upon the piano and organ until he was 18, when he had to abandon music temporarily and, on his subsistence. This he did by traveling for an optician and selling his goods in Switzerland, Germany, Finland, and Russia, subsequently also selling hops to breweries in France. At last, becoming tired of traveling, he determined to go to the United States, and arrived in New York in the early '60s with a dollar in his pockets. Unable to find employment in that city, he started out with another German selling goods through the country. The venture did not prove successful, however, and he turned to music again.

He did anything that came to hand. At one time he was playing in the orchestra of the Marid-Grisi operatic troupe. Shortly afterwards he was with the Buckly Serenaders. When he could find nothing better to do he played for dancers in hotels. Then came his marriage to Caroline Dreyfus, whom he had met in Germany when she was governess in an American family. She brought him a dot of $25, which was much larger than his own capital. From New York he drifted to the South, where a somewhat unsatisfactory period of teaching was interrupted by the outbreak of the civil war. He next turned up in New Haven, Conn., with his family, now increased to five, where he obtained a position as church organist. It was there he founded his first orchestra, whose existence, however, was brief, after which he was made cathedral organist. During this service he acquainted the people of that city for the first time with the masses and oratorios of the old masters.

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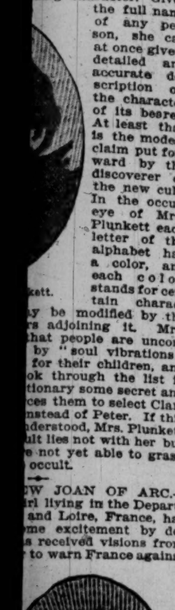

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BROKERS, BANKERS, AND SPECULATORS RESENT STOCK DEAL.

Steel and Wire Directors to Meet in New York Tomorrow and an Investigation Will Be Demanded—Seligmans Expected to Force Showing of Books—Braddock Plant at Pittsburg and Elwood Factory at De Kalb Reopen—View of the Trade.

John W. Gates, chairman of the American Steel and Wire company, is to be called to account for the stock manipulation which has shocked Wall street in New York and the steel interests of the country during the last few days. A meeting of the directors of the company will be held tomorrow and an investigation be demanded. Mr. Gates will be asked to explain why he closed twelve plants of the company in spite of the fact that all the steel and iron industries of the country report business to be in a healthy condition. He will be asked to show books, records, and other data which will give the true condition of the company. It is understood that the investigation of his actions will be demanded by the Seligmans, who are interested heavily in his concern, and that in case the information is refused or the demand sidetracked a motion will be made censuring the management. Questions will also be asked why some of the plants were so quickly reopened after the closing had had time to take effect on the stock market.

The movement to investigate the recent actions of Mr. Gates was begun in New York yesterday. All sorts of rumors were in circulation affecting some of the prominent banking houses in that city which have been identified with the financing of the company. It was said that Mr. Gates had given out tips to some of his so-called friends both East and West that Steel and Wire was about to take a jump, and that as a result one of the directors lost a million in the slump which began soon after Mr. Gates reached New York. Many of the reports mentioned the banking house of J. and W. Seligman & Co., which acted as the financial syndicate when the company was formed. It is said, therefore, that this house, out of justice to its clients, has decided that an investigation is necessary to clear itself.

May Force Gates Out.

A further report in both New York and Chicago was that Mr. Gates would resign or be forced from the chairmanship of the board, and retire from all connection with the corporation. This rumor has been repeated with persistence since the remarkable market movement in the stock of the company began, and was sent out from New York again yesterday. As a basis for this story it was reported that action might be taken by the other iron and steel interests to protect their properties from the effects of the peculiar action of the Steel and Wire stock.

Mr. Gates would not discuss this report. Max Pam, general counsel of the company, who is in New York with Mr. Gates, said: "There has been no conference or meeting since our arrival here. The report that we are to enter the stuctural iron and steel business by turning our Cleveland plants into rail and billet mills is all bosh. We don't anticipate any trade war, for we have no reason to believe that there will be any."

President John Lambert, the only leading official of the company in Chicago, said that the mills probably would be opened soon.

As a matter of fact some of the plants resumed work yesterday. The Braddock wire plant in Pittsburg started up again, and from De Kalb, Ill., came the news that the L. L. Elwood factory there began operations again. At Waukegan Superintendent Rice said he had received no order to start up the idle rod mill, but that nearly all the 150 rod mill hands were now employed in other parts of the works.

The extraordinarily brief shutdown of the Pittsburg and De Kalb mills was indicative to stock buyers that the Gates order for closing down the works had no purpose beyond a desire to manipulate the stock, which sold off again yesterday, reaching almost the lowest point of the present break. It sold down to 41¼, from 46, and the close was only half a point higher. The net loss was 3¾ points in the common, and 4 on preferred. In the common sales reached 65,000 shares, and a little over 16,000 of preferred.

View Taken by the Trade.

From the point of view of the iron and steel trade, as distinguished from the stock market, the matter is thus discussed by the Iron Trade Review of Cleveland:

"The truth about the iron market has suffered in much that has appeared in print the last week. For the time being stocks have figured as the commodity of the trade, and iron and steel have been merely contingent. We leave to stock market reviewers and Wall street operators the discovery of motives for some of the happenings and utterances of the week, merely saying on this phase of the situation that the pessimistic statements sent broadcast from New York are not shared by the iron trade at large.

"The iron market is enjoying exceptional prosperity this week, as it did last week, last month, the month before, and for twelve months before that. Prices may still yield somewhat or they may remain close to today's basis after the spring demand sets in, but in either event the outlook is for large consumption, heavy outputs from furnaces, rolling mills, and founderies, and for profits that will afford capital and labor unusual returns."

Price Drops at Glasgow.

GLASGOW, April 18.—The pig iron market slumped one shilling and sixpence on cabled advices from New York today intimating a reduction in the price of steel billets.

DECLARES MOVE AN OUTRAGE.

New York Evening Post Discusses Closing of the Steel and Wire Mills.

New York, April 18.—The Evening Post, in an editorial entitled "An Outrage on Business Morality," says:

"The recent performance by some of the managers of the American Steel and Wire company has unquestionably shocked the financial community. There has been nothing worse since the days when Fisk and Gould wrecked the Erie railway. The general condition of the iron market was understood by the persons interested in the trade. Prices had risen to a high figure, but they had shown a natural and healthy tendency to decline to a level which corresponded more nearly with the cost of production. Supply and demand were becoming equalized at figures which left the profit of producers ample, while they were not prohibitive on consumers. Some managers of the Steel and Wire company had published statements of the great profits already realized and boasted of the immense business which their order books showed to be before them. The price of the stocks of the company, however, showed a rather suspicious tendency to decline, and then violently collapsed. Immediately thereafter came the news that the company had closed a large number of its mills for an indefinite period, followed by the announcement by the same managers that there has ceased to be a market for their wares.

"Dismissing the question whether stock jobbing was the motive of the managers in this case, the manner in which they took the step of closing their mills was altogether unprincipled and outrageous. They gave no warning whatever to the many thousands of workmen whom they employed. No intimation seems to have been given as to when work will be resumed. No solvent manufacturing concern whose managers are of ordinary humanity will treat its hands in such a way. The great mass of workmen are dependent for their daily bread upon their daily toil, and to be deprived of what they might reasonably expect to be continuous employment is enough to drive them into furious hatred of their arrogant employers. Their indignation will be shared by all the jobbers and hardware dealers and consumers in the country. It is in the power of the business-men of the community to bring these persons to a realising sense of the odious character of their proceedings, and a proper regard for the fundamental rules of business morality demands outspoken condemnation of such a scandalous infraction of them as has taken place."

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NAMED ON EXPOSITION JURY.

Dr. C. H. Beard and Milward Adams Are Appointed to Go to Paris.

Two more Chicagoans have been appointed members of the International Jury of Awards at the Paris exposition. They are Dr. C. H. Beard, 605 Venetian Building, and

DR. C. H. BEARD.

Milward Adams, manager of the Auditorium Theater.

Dr. Beard, who has been appointed on the jury, group 3, class 16, of medicine and surgery, is a member of the local, State, and national medical associations, and has held a number of appointments, including ophthalmologist to Cook County Hospital, oc-

MILWARD ADAMS.

ulist and aurist to the Passavant Memorial Hospital, and surgeon to the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary. He will sail on June 14 on the Lorraine.

Milward Adams has been appointed to the jury of awards in the department of theatrical appliances and equipments. He has been the manager of the Auditorium Theater since its opening in 1889. He will sail on the St. Louis on May 23, and will be gone probably three months. Mrs. Adams will accompany him.

GENERAL NEWS OF RAILWAYS.

Canadian Pacific Agrees to Stop Paying Commissions on Tickets and Agents' Hope Is Lost.

All hopes entertained by ticket agents and scalpers of knocking out the Presidents' agreement abolishing ticket commission payments were destroyed yesterday by the Canadian Pacific agreeing to stop paying commissions for the sale of tickets on and after May 1 next.

The Canadian Pacific has been the only road in this country, Canada, and Mexico which could not be induced heretofore to become a party to the agreement. Its defection revived the hopes of those who have been benefited by commissions, and nothing was left undone to create dissatisfaction among the competitors of the Canadian line and get some of them to withdraw. The Eastern financial interests which now control nearly all the roads in the country, however, were determined to stop the payments of vast amounts of money for which practically no value was received.

The Canadian Pacific held out so long because it wanted to force its American competitors to make certain concessions on immigrant business and the right to apply differential rates on business from St. Paul to the Atlantic seaboard. It having been found impossible to come to a speedy agreement on these matters, a conference was held here yesterday between President Shaughnessy and Vice President McNicoll of the Canadian Pacific and the members of the Presidents' committee, including President Felton of the Alton and Vice Presidents Harahan of the Illinois Central, Hannaford of the Northern Pacific, and Morton of the Santa Fé. After being promised that the grievances of the Canadian Pacific would receive proper consideration, Mr. Shaughnessy and Mr. McNicoll agreed to become a party to the anti-commission agreement.

At the National Convention of Railroad Commissioners, held at Denver, Colo., on Aug. 10 and 11, 1899, the next annual meeting was set for May 8 at Milwaukee. Subsequently it was found that proper accommodations could not be obtained on that date, and as a result the date has been changed to May 28. The meeting will be at the Pfister Hotel, Milwaukee. The Railroad Commissioners of all States are expected to attend. Among the subjects to be considered are: Railroad statistics, uniform classification, powers, duties, and work of Railroad Commissioners, legislation, delays attendant upon enforcing orders of Railroad Commissioners, safety appliances, grade crossings, plans for ascertaining the fair valuation of railroad properties.

Excursion rates at a fare and one-third for the round trip have been granted by the Central Passenger association roads for the American Society of Superintendents of Training School Alumni of the United States and Canada, New York City, April 30 to May 5; annual convention Christian Political union, Rock Island, Ill.; Ancient Order of Hibernians, Boston, Mass., May 8 to 12; Supreme Court of Honor, Peoria, Ill., May 22 to 25.

Transportation Notes.

Chicago-St. Paul lines will meet in this city today to give further consideration to the question of labor rates.

Gross earnings of the Milwaukee and St. Paul for the second week in April were $707,536, against $602,686 for the corresponding week last year, an increase of $74,850.

The Chicago Great Western reports for the month of March an increase in gross earnings of $69,680 and in net earnings of $15,700. Since July 1 last the net earnings of this road made an increase of $251,905.

Officials of the Wisconsin Central in this city claim to have no knowledge of the reported purchase by their company of a tract on the line of the Chicago Junction road in Cicero, with the view of establishing car shops.

It is again reported that the Rockefeller interests, which control the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway, have secured control of the Missouri Pacific, and the first-named road will be consolidated with the Missouri Pacific system. Little credence is given in this city to the report.

Michigan University Gets Tube Cleaner

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 18.—[Special.]—The Board of Regents today accepted the offer of the Union Boiler Cleaning company of Pittsburg to donate to the university one of their tube-cleaning devices, valued at $1,500. Dr. R. S. Copeland, Dr. Carl Guthe, Professors Prescott, Stevens, and Schlotterbeck were granted leaves of absence to attend various conventions.

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REVIEWERS FOUND TO HAVE LOWERED MANY ASSESSMENTS.

Action Taken Last Year to Offset Increases Spread on Personality—Illinois Steel and Armour & Co. Each Have $1,000,000 Lopped Off—Hundreds of Individuals Secure Decreases, Though Their Neighbors Receive No Changes.

The Board of Assessors has found that the Board of Review last year quietly made reductions on the real estate assessments of various corporations to offset heavy increases spread on their personal property. The Illinois Steel company and Armour & Co. were given a reduction of $1,000,000 each on realty, though only the big advances made on the personal property of the companies were given out by the revisers. Hundreds of cases have been found where individuals secured decreases on realty, though their neighbors received no corresponding changes.

Because of these facts the Assessors have determined to revise the valuation of every piece of property on which the Board of Review made these reductions. They also will inquire into personalty decreases aggregating $14,000,000 made by the revising body.

Specimens of Reductions.

The Illinois Steel company's personalty valuation for 1899—estimated by the Assessors, as the concern failed to schedule—was given an increase of a million dollars. It now develops that at the last moment the reviewers reduced the Assessors' full valuation of $3,000,000 on the company's South Chicago realty to $2,040,000, and another plat of ground held by the company, though in the name of Norman B. Ream, was cut from $220,000 to $180,000.

The real estate of Armour & Co. was cut in a similar way, the reviewers having increased the personalty assessment by about $1,000,000. The ground on which the Armours' Goose Island elevator stands was omitted altogether. Armour real estate in Hooker street in the North Town was reduced from $225,000 to $40,000; on the North Branch, from $145,400 to $90,000, and another strip from $334,450 to $215,000; in Wood street, from $100,000 to $95,000.

Swift & Co., also given a boost on the personalty value, secured similar treatment.

The changes made on three pieces of property in the Town of Lake illustrate reductions made in other districts. Here one piece was reduced from $111,100 to $35,000, another from $39,700 to $28,000, and a third piece from $27,550 to $16,000.

Reviewers' Varying Values.

Assessments on eleven houses in West Twenty-second street, between Lincoln and Wood streets, show the variation of realty values entered by the reviewers. The list follows:

House number.	Assessors' full valuation.	Bd. of Review's rev'd valuation.
762	$6,675	$5,000
768	6,575	5,700
772	6,575	6,575
774	6,575	4,500
776	6,575	6,875
778	6,575	6,575
782	6,575	3,500
784	6,575	3,500
786	6,575	3,500
788	6,575	6,575
790	6,575	6,575

"As the houses are identically alike in size and quality of construction," said one of the Assessors, "we insist the valuation should be the same on all. We will enter our own figures again as the revised values."

On fifty-two vacant lots at West Twelfth street and Garfield Park boulevard reductions were made favoring Mrs. E. Casey. Miss Theresa Casey, and Edward L. Casey, though lots held by other owners have been given no decrease.

The Assessors contend these changes show that the list of real estate assessments must be published. Should the County board further delay this work after opening another lot of printing bids on April 23, the Real Estate board will ask a mandamus to compel publication.

Dunne Dismisses Petitions.

Judge Dunne dismissed petitions filed by A. M. Rothschild & Co. and the Anheuser-Busch Brewing company for relief from alleged excessive taxation.

EVENTS IN CHICAGO SOCIETY.

Burnham - Wells and Baker - Hilton Weddings—On the Calendar for Today.

Society events for today:

Mrs. Henry A. Blair, 2735 Prairie avenue, a luncheon for Miss Natalie Blair.

Mrs. Charles W. Brega, 2816 Michigan avenue, a dinner for Miss Marie Owens.

Mrs. James J. Egan, 2915 Groveland avenue, a luncheon for Miss Inderrieden.

Mrs. L. Merriam Messer and Mrs. George Wynford Lawrence, reception from 3:30 till 6 o'clock at 4600 Ellis avenue.

Mrs. Truman G. Palmer, 2465 St. Charles avenue, a musical.

Mrs. Benjamin W. Kendall, 2638 Prairie avenue, a Kilo association, reception from 2 till 6 o'clock.

Masquerade pageant at Hull House by Arts and Crafts society.

The wedding of Miss Ethel Burnham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Burnham, and Mr. Arthur B. Wells took place last evening at 7 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents in Evanston. The Rev. John Goddard of Cincinnati performed the ceremony. The attendants were Miss Margaret Burnham and Miss Mary Wells, and Mr. Cheney Wells and Mr. John Burnham. A supper was served at the ceremony, and 200 guests were present at the reception. Mr. and Mrs. Wells will be at home at Southbridge, Mass., after June 1.

The marriage of Miss Adelaide Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Baker, and Mr. John Ranney Hilton took place last evening at 8 o'clock at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Kenwood, the Rev. Charles H. Bixby officiating. Miss Nellie Anguish was the maid of honor, and the bridemaids were Miss Vivian Weaver, Miss Marjorie Ewing, Miss Lucille Casey, Miss Virginia Ainslee, and Miss Bertha Cooper of Louisville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Hilton have gone South for a wedding trip, and will be at home after June 1 at 5101 Kimbark avenue.

An amateur theatrical entertainment for charity was given last evening at University Hall, Fine Arts Building, under the auspices of the Service club. Paris in "My Lord in Livery" were taken by Mr. Lawrence Fitch, Mr. Fails, Mr. H. Atkinson, Mrs. Lawrence Fitch, Miss Katherine Sterritt, and Miss Katherine Bayley. The second play was "The Garroters," and the parts were taken by Mr. W. T. Mordock, Mr. H. B. Harvey, Mr. H. Atkinson, Mr. John Bullen, Miss Helen Bayley, and Miss Grace Bogue. Mrs. Robert Clarke, who coached the players, also had charge of the arrangements. The patronesses were:

Mrs. Arthur J. Caton, Mrs. Byron L. Smith, Mrs. J. J. Glessner, Mrs. Elbridge G. Keith, Mrs. Fernando Jones, Mrs. Frederick T. Hasan, Mrs. John Winterbothkell, Mrs. William R. Linn, Mrs. Chauncey J. Blair.

A musical was given yesterday afternoon at the Chicago Woman's club at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Penoyer Sherman, the President, received the guests, and the program was given by Miss Ada Sherer, Mrs. Shefield, Mrs. H. G. McMullen, and Mr. Edward Meek. Afterwards there was an informal reception and refreshments were served in the tearooms. It was the last at home of the Woman's club.

Mrs. Frederick W. Gookin and Mrs. Horace M. Kennedy gave a luncheon yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Gookin, 20 Walton place, for Mrs. John Hubbell of Buffalo, N. Y. Thirty guests were present.

Mrs. Martin M. Schultz, 403 Oak street, gave a luncheon yesterday for Miss Virginia Inderrieden.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. McCormick and Mr. Stanley McCormick sailed yesterday from New York for Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Milward Adams will go abroad on May 23 for three months. They will visit the Paris exposition.

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Marquise de Fontenoy Letter

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Emperor William has just given another illustration of his progressive and enlightened character by taking a leading part in the project for the establishment at Hamburg of a great commercial and industrial university, which will be the only institution of the kind in existence. Large sums of money have already been promised towards the enterprise by great manufacturers and merchants, and the municipal authorities of each of the Hanse cities have promised annual subventions, in addition to which the university is to receive imperial endowment. The degrees given by the university are to have the same value as those of the already existing universities.

There are plenty of technical and commercial colleges on both sides of the Atlantic. But there is nothing of the kind, as far as universities are concerned, and the idea is an entirely new one. It is understood that candidates for the consular service will be required to obtain diplomas from this university at Hamburg before receiving appointments to any post.

Lord Kinnaird, who has been protesting in the House of Lords against English exhibiters at the Paris world's fair being compelled to uncover and display their exhibits on Sundays, is one of the many banking peers in the upper chamber of the British Legislature, being the principal partner in the old established London bank of Ransom, Bouverie & Co. A leader of the Sabbatarian movement and one of the chief supporters of the Young Men's Christian association, he is, as an old Eton boy and a Trinity, Cambridge, man, passionately fond of athletics and one of the most regular attendants at all great cricket matches. His title is an old one, having been created in 1682, and must not be confounded with that of Kynnlard, which is borne by the eldest son and heir of the Earl of Newburgh. Lord Kinnaird's eldest son, like the other first born of Scotch peers, bears the title of "The Master of Kinnaird," and is a fine, tall young fellow, whose disposition towards philanthropy and seriousness is tempered, as in the case of his father, by his pronounced tastes for everything athletic.

Incidentally I may say that this Sunday question has arisen in connection with every international exhibition that has ever been held on the continent of Europe, and has given rise to more bad feeling against England and the United States than people can imagine. For Sunday is the only holiday of the laboring masses in continental Europe, the only day on which they are able to visit the exhibition with their families, and for English and American exhibiters to deliberately cover up with canvas the glass cases which contain their exhibits on Sunday so that the Sabbath should not be desecrated by the unfortunate continental workingman even looking at their goods is regarded as carrying the observance of the Lord's day to a ridiculous and churlish extreme.

On this occasion the French government has adopted a more independent course than heretofore, and has issued a decree compelling every exhibiter, native or foreign, to keep his exhibit on show—that is to say, uncovered—on every open day of the exhibition, Sundays as well as weekdays. If his religious scruples trouble him he has the alternative of stopping away and withdrawing his exhibit. But as long as he has accepted the invitation of the French government he must conform to the rules and regulations imposed by his host.

The young Duke of Westminster has cabled from south Africa instructions to his representatives in London, to the effect that his superb London palace, known as Grosvenor House, is to remain as heretofore open to the public, free of cost, from 1 to 5 every Sunday afternoon. By so doing the young Duke has identified himself with the crusade that has been in progress in England for some time past in favor of opening museums and similar public institutions to the people on Sunday, that being to all intents and purposes the only day in the week which the laboring classes have at their disposal for visiting and "taking in" anything of the kind.

Grosvenor House contains the finest private collection of old masters, and of masterpieces of the more modern school of painting that is to be found anywhere in Europe, and the concession thus granted to the public in admitting them without restraint to the picture galleries, ballroom, banqueting hall, and all the state apartments on Sunday shows that the young Duke has, like his grandfather before him, his heart in the right place, and consideration and regard for the laboring classes.

The abnormally fat Duke of Wellington throws his London palace, Apsley House, open in the same way throughout the year on Sunday, a mansion which is to all intents and purposes a museum of relics of the victor of Waterloo, and rendered additionally interesting by the fact that after the finally overthrow of the first Napoleon there was hardly a single European state from Russia down to the tiny Republic of San Marino, which did not show its gratitude to the great commander, known as the "Iron Duke," by presenting him with some of its choicest art treasures, besides which every reigning sovereign sent him his portrait, life-size and done in oil.

Dr. Dickson, who has just died at Constantinople, had been for no less than sixty years attached to the British Embassy at Constantinople as its physician, and was the son of that Mr. John Dickson of the royal navy, who was in medical attendance on the great Admiral Lord Nelson at the siege of Copenhagen. Born in Tripoli, where his father, after leaving the royal navy, had become surgeon-in-chief to the Bey of Tripoli, Dr. Dickson may be said to have spent his entire existence in the Levant. In 1873 he was one of the International commissioners invited by the Sublime Porte to inquire into the death of Sultan Abdul Aziz, and it was mainly owing to Dr. Dickson's report that the suspicion of foul play was removed, and that credence was accorded both in Turkey and abroad to the official version of the tragedy, which was to the effect that the unfortunate Sultan, who had been deposed from the throne five days earlier, had committed suicide by opening the veins of his arm with a pair of scissors, which he had been allowed to retain for the purpose of trimming his beard. He invariably did this himself for the same reason that no Turkish Sultan ever shaves, and always wears a full beard—namely: A lack of confidence. So great is the fear of assassination that no Sultan will ever place himself at the mercy of a barber, who, with one gash of the razor, can cut his throat before any one could interfere to defend the Padishah.

ASK MORE PAY IN LINCOLN PARK

Carpenters' and Painters' Demands Likely to Be Granted—Bids Sought for Shore Work.

Union labor representatives asked the members of the Lincoln Park board yesterday to pay more money to carpenters and painters. The requests were sent to the Service committee, which probably will grant them. Charles Kelly, Secretary of the Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators, wrote to the board, asking contractors are paying 40 cents an hour to painters, while the Park board pays only 37½ cents.

The board will advertise for bids for the completion of the shore work at the foot of Oak street, begun by the Star Construction company. President Wickersham denied the report that the board's force was being increased at this time for political purposes and that park employés were painting banners for political use.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Repeal the Stamp Taxes.

Mattoon, Ill., April 14.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Your recent editorials in regard to the repeal of the stamp tax were timely and good. Congress could do nothing better than to repeal at once and unconditionally these annoying stamp taxes. I believe it would be the greatest card the Republican administration could play in the present political game, to recommend the repeal of these taxes; but if the administration doesn't so recommend, it will still be good sense, good management, and good political policy for a Republican Congress to do so anyhow.

It isn't so much the amount of these taxes that hurts (especially in the country districts, among the farmers, workingmen, and others) as it is the annoyance, trouble, and loss of time involved in complying with the law.

Take the stamp upon bank checks, for instance. In a large city business-men have their check books with printed stamps in their desks, and they don't notice so much this trouble; but among farmers who make checks upon their bank in the country, at their homes, in the fields, on the road, or wherever they may be, it is different, and many are so afraid of violating the law that they will come for miles into town to get stamps, losing time from their work, so fearful are they that may be arrested and fined for some breach of this law. I do not exaggerate the situation, and am in a position to hear the complaints of the "common people" daily, and they are beginning to make strong complaints.

They submitted cheerfully at the outset, on account of their sympathy for the Cubans, but that war has been over a long time, and there is no war now, except the lingering troubles in the Philippine Islands. Revenues are increasing, and the government reports show an excess of revenue. Congress should take this step before complaints increase in volume and strength.

Speaking as a country banker, I would much prefer that direct taxes against this bank (for license) should be doubled and have the taxes on the people for stamps upon checks and notes removed. I believe I am speaking the sentiment of most of the country bankers.

I hope you will continue the crusade until the administration and Congress take notice of the trouble in store for them if they allow this unnecessary burden to remain longer on the people.

C. E. WILSON.

"Save the Gulls."

Chicago, April 18.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—In your editorial of this date, under the above title, you seem to have lost sight of the many provisions of the city ordinances relating to scavenger work. But, aside from the city ordinances, what right have these gulls to work? Do they belong to the scavenger union? Can the Mayor, a "red-hot" union man, be expected to protect these "scabs" in their unlicensed work on the garbage piles? Have these gulls been examined by the Civil Service commission and found to bear the "union label"? No! Then down with these uncertified interlopers. Let the shotgun hang! You talk about State laws. What have State laws to do with the case? Have they received the approval of the "Council"?

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Three new novels have just been brought out by The Century Co. **"The Autobiography of a Quack,"** by Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, is a strange story of a rogue who lived by his wits. (Price $1.25). The authors of the other novels are new to the public. **"Deacon Bradbury"** is the story of a New England deacon whose faith came to be shaken by what he thought was the backsliding of his only son. It is a profound study touched with humor and pictures of village life. The Chicago *Times-Herald* says that "a more convincing picture of American village life has never been written." (Price $1.50). The other new novel **"Kate Wetherill"** is a strong story of a woman, brought up in a manufacturing village, who marries a man who is her inferior and from whom she grows apart. "In the manner of the telling and the artistic development of the climax," says the *Phila. North American*, "it reaches high above the average novel." ($1.25.)

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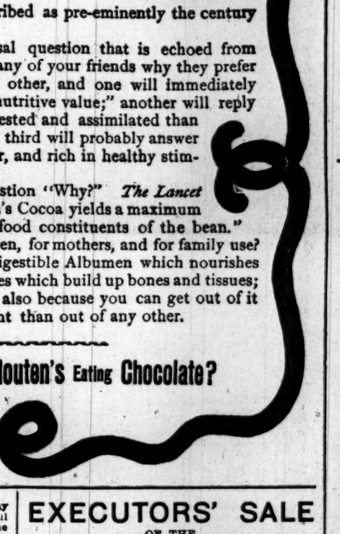

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EFFECT ON INDUSTRIALS.

BANKERS DISCUSS DISCRIMINATIONS DUE TO STEEL AND WIRE.

Say More Care Will Be Used in Selecting Stocks Offered as Collaterals, Though Entire Range of Issues Will Not Suffer—Figures in the Market—Railroad Affairs — New York Exchange—Closing Curb Prices—Sales of the Day.

In response to inquiries whether the action of American Steel and Wire stock during the last few days would lead to severer discrimination against industrials as a whole, bankers replied yesterday that, while it probably would result in more careful selection of the stocks offered as collateral for loans, it would not lead to discrimination against all. One of the most prominent bankers, whose institution makes loans on this class of collateral, said that it was difficult to lay down any fixed rule about industrials, as they varied so greatly in worth. The standing of the borrower also enters into consideration in loaning on them. The bankers said, however, that margins of 25 to 30 per cent were asked in the case of the majority of preferred stocks. Common stocks are not taken by some of the banks, except as they may add to the loan additional security where the margin already is fair. So far as could be learned, the spectacular movement in the steels stocks has not led to any more rigorous action on the part of the bank. As stated however, there appears to be a disposition to exercise more discretion in accepting the industrial stocks offered as collateral.

In the entire range of companies in yesterday's stock market the weakness of Steel and Wire was conspicuous again. The official announcement that the closed mills would be reopened within two weeks had no effect, and it was said again that members of the Gates crowd were selling. Steel and Wire common, opening at 46, sold as low as 41¾ and closed with a net loss of 4¾ points. The preferred stock lost 3 points. Federal Steel, which was also active, opened at 43 and sold as low as 41⅞, but closed with a net loss of only ¼ point. Other net losses in the steel stocks were fractional.

Railroad Affairs.

Max Pam, general counsel of the Kansas City Southern railway, is quoted in New York as saying: "The reorganization of the northern connecting roads will be undertaken soon. These roads, however, will have an organization entirely distinct from that of the Kansas City Southern. Of course there will be traffic arrangements between the two systems."

Railroad earnings are reported as follows:

MISSOURI PACIFIC.

	1900.	1899.	Increase.
Second week April..	$ 495,000	$ 461,000	$34,000
From Jan. 1.	7,978,949	7,089,286	889,663

CENTRAL BRANCH.

Second week April..	23,000	15,000	8,000
From Jan. 1.	341,010	300,102	40,908

CANADIAN PACIFIC.

Second week April..	$ 606,000	$ 525,000	$81,000
From Jan. 1.	7,600,159	6,761,953	838,206

Financial Notes.

New York exchange, which has been quoted at a discount in Chicago for several weeks, rose par after clearings yesterday. Authorities say that it is likely to rise to a premium within a few days, and from the experience of past years should continue at a premium for some time. As the importance of Chicago as a financial center grows less dependence is placed on New York. Money rates in Chicago are easier at the prevailing rates, but money is not quoted lower than 5 per cent by any of the banks.

Directors of the Chicago Edison company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable on May 1. Books close on April 20, reopen at close of business on May 1.

The Wisconsin Steel company has declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent and an extra dividend of ¼ per cent, payable on May 10 to stock of record April 28.

The Cambria Steel company declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share, payable on May 15. An assessment of $6.50 a share has been called on stock, payable on May 1, as registered on April 20; also an extra dividend of $4.50, payable for purpose of assessment.

Following the New York market local securities were lower. Radiator common sold in small lots at 45¾, a closing low. Edison stock was off from several points from the previous sale. Biscuit common was firmer than the day before, and sales were smaller. There was some activity in the brewery shares. The bond list was active.

Closing Curb Prices.

Closing prices on curb securities in New York yesterday were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Air Power	40	42
Amalgamated Copper	93	94
Automatic Gas	7	8
Do pfd	46	50
American Bicycle	11¾	13
Do pfd	41	43
American Wool	19½	20
Do pfd	77	78
Bay State Gas	1⅝	1¾
Cast Iron Pipe	5¾	6
Do pfd	40	45
Chi. & Alton subscriptions	107	108
Distilling Company of America	8	8¼
Do pfd	27¾	28
Electric Vehicle	40	43
Illinois Electric Vehicle	2	3
International Pump	20½	21½
Do pfd	66½	67½
National Salt	47½	49
Do pfd	77	78
Otis Elevator	37	38
Do pfd	85	86
Royal Baking Powder pfd	91	92½
Rubber Goods	29¾	30½
Do pfd	100	102
Standard Oil	545	546

Sales on the Chicago Stock Exchange yesterday were as follows:

American Linseed	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Do pfd	1,620	13¾	12¾	13½
Anderson & Belden	200	56¾	56¾	56¾
American Strawboard	145	45½	42	43
Am. Tinplate pfd(ex-div.)	25	32	32	32
Chicago Brewing	10	79	79	79
Do pfd	197	3¼	3	3
Chicago Edison	20	13	12	13
Chicago Telephone	20	143	143	143
Diamond Match	100	123¼	123	123½
Lake St. Elevated	200	22	21¾	22
Do pfd	110	9¾	9	9¾
Metropolitan El pfd	100	80¾	80¼	80¾
Milwaukee Brewing	100	13	13	13
Do pfd	1,005	33¼	33	33¼
Am. Malt. Co. pfd	424	87½	86	87½
National Carbon	150	104¾	104¾	104¾
Do pfd	180	83	81½	82
People's Gas	30	102¼	102¼	102¼
South Side Elevated	40	99	99	99
Street's Stable Car	20	20¼	20¼	20¼
Shelby Steel Tube pfd	100	96	96	96
West Chicago	100	109¾	109¾	109¾

BONDS.

$ 5000 Met El 4s	97¼	500 do	93¼
1000 do	97¼	2500 Lake inc 5s	97½
5000 do	97¾	4000 W W El 5s	104
10000 Clc & Prov		3000 do	100¾
	104¾	3000 Chi Pass Ry	
4000 Edis deb 5s	101¾	5s	105
100 Lake deb 5s	90¼	3000 Chi & Har	
100 do	91	5s	103¾
500 do	91¼	4000 W Chi 1st	
500 do	92	mtg 5s	100¼
100 do	93	5000 City Ry 4s	100¾
100 do	93¼		

Clearings at the larger cities yesterday and a week ago were:

	April 18	April 11
New York	$230,638,808	$212,625,587
Chicago	20,393,421	22,180,681
Boston	23,893,421	22,180,681
Philadelphia	18,075,812	15,494,872
St. Louis	5,743,730	4,391,544
Baltimore	3,743,730	4,391,544

New York exchange sold yesterday as follows: Chicago, 50c discount before clearings, par after; St. Louis, 25c discount asked.

IN THE NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash and Securities in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The uncertainties of the speculative situation were so great today that operators in stocks maintained a hesitating mood and refrained from active operations. American Steel and Wire sold a point below last night and closed 3¼ off. The net loss of the preferred was 4 points. Other industrials and railroads were not so weak. In one or two of the railroad stocks advances had reached over a point, but they were generally wiped out. The New York tractions and some of the other specialties showed acute weakness.

The money market continued to work easier, call loans dropping to 3¼ per cent in the late dealings. The Subtreasury is disbursing large sums to the market, and New York exchange at Chicago rose to 10c discount today, compared with 40c discount on Monday, indicating a relaxation of interior demand for currency, or perhaps a cessation of the selling of stocks for Chicago account. Sterling exchange continues to harden, and large loans are made on sterling collateral. This means that London is taking advantage of the lower interest rates here to borrow money in this market.

The bond market was rather quiet and irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,830,000.

United States new 4s advanced ⅛ in the bid price.

Money on call easier at 2½@3¼ per cent; last loan, 3¼; prime commercial paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¾@487¾ for demand, and 484 for sixty days; posted rates, 484½ and 488¼; commercial bills, 483@483¾.

Silver certificates, 60¼@61¼. Bar silver, 59¾. Mexican dollars, 47¾.

Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	High.	Low.	April 18.	April 17
Am. Sugar	47,300	107½	104	106¾	105½
Do pfd	100	111¾	111¾	111¾	
Am. Tobacco	9,100	108¾	105¾	106¾	108
Am. Tinplate	400	29¾	29½	29¾	28½
Do pfd	200	80	78	80	78½
Am. Cotton Oil	900	38¾	37¾	38¼	
Am. Smelting	1,000	38	37¾	37¾	38½
Do pfd	700	91	89¾	90¾	89
Adams Express	25	120	120	120	
Am. Steel & Wire	53,800	46	41¾	41¾	45
Do pfd	14,600	91¼	77½	77½	81¼
Atchison	2,500	27	26¾	26¾	28¾
Do pfd	22,200	71	70¾	70¾	73¾
Am. Steel Hoop	1,200	29	27¾	28	28
Do pfd	100	74	73½	73½	73
Anaconda	100	49¾	49¾	49¾	48¾
Am. Linseed	100	13	13	13	13
Do pfd	100	56¼	56¼	56¼	56½
Am. Malt. Co. pfd	100	20¾	20½	20¾	
Am. Car & Fdy	100	94	94	94	95¾
Ann Arbor My. pfd	100	44½	44½	44½	44½
Amn. Ice	1,000	43	42¾	42¾	42¾
Brook. Rap. Tran	18,600	74¾	72¾	74	73¾
Brunswick	100	9½	9½	9½	9¾
Balto. & Ohio	17,100	87¾	85½	86¾	87¾
Do pfd	10,800	95¾	87¾	88	
C. B. & Q	10,200	126½	125¾	126¾	125¾
C. & N. W.	100	162	162	162	161½
C. M. & St. P	15,100	122	120¾	121¾	120¾
C. R. I. & P.	2,800	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
Canada Southern	400	55	53¾	54¾	55
Ches. & Ohio	4,000	32¾	32	32	31¾
C. R. R. of N. J.	400	116¾	116½	116½	116
C., C., C. & St. L.	1,100	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	100	183	183	183	182
Chi. Terminal	400	11	11	11	
Do pfd	200	36	36	36	35½
Col. & Southern	600	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	700	44¼	43¾	43¾	44
C., L. & L	1,600	27½	27	27	26¾
Do pfd	100	57½	56½	56½	57
Chi. Gt. Western	1,800	14¼	13¾	14¼	13½
Do pfd A	100	78	78	78	
Do pfd B	200	33¼	32¾	32¾	
Con. Tobacco	4,000	29¾	28¾	29	29½
Do pfd	200	81¼	81	81	81½
C., L. & W. pfd	700	67	65	70	67
Del. & Hudson	100	115¾	115¾	115¾	114½
Den. & Rio G	1,900	21	20¾	20¾	20¾
Do pfd	100	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
D., S. S. & A	100	5	5	5	
Do pfd	100	15	15	15	
Erie	200	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Do 1st pfd	200	41¾	41¾	41¾	41
Do 2d pfd	200	22¾	22¾	22¾	22
Federal Steel	25,000	44	41½	42¾	43
Do pfd	2,500	70¼	69¾	70	69¾
Ft. W. & R. G	100	19	19	19	
General Electric	5,600	130¾	135	130¾	135¼
Glucose	500	49	48¾	48¾	49
Gt. Northern pfd	100	169	169	169	168
Gas & Elec. of B	500	73½	73½	73½	73½
Hocking Valley	200	39¾	39¾	39¾	38½
H. E. Claflin	100	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
Int. Silver	600	9¼	7¾	9	9
Iowa Central	1,100	18	18	18	18¼
Int. Paper	100	22	22	22	22
Do pfd	300	65	64	64	64¾
K. C., F. S. & G	1,100	18¼	18	18¼	18
Louis. & Nash	3,900	84¾	84¼	84¾	85
L. E. & W	1,100	32	31	32	32¾
Lacledes Gas	100	72	72	72	
M., St. P. & S. S. M	1,000	24	24	24	23¾
Manhattan	7,800	95	93½	94½	94¾
M., K. & T. pfd	6,000	37¾	36¾	37¾	36¾
Met. St. Ry	12,500	161½	158	158¾	161
Mex. Cent. (Ltd.)	5,400	14¾	14	14¼	14
Mobile & Ohio	400	91	89	91	89
Missouri Pacific	38,900	60¾	59¾	59¾	59½
Mex. National	1,000	4¼	4	4¼	3¾
Minn. & St. L	300	65	65	65	65
National Biscuit	300	33½	33½	33½	33
Do pfd	100	88¾	88¾	88¾	
Northern Pacific	11,000	69¾	69¼	69¾	68¾
Do pfd	1,000	76¾	76	76	76¾
National Steel	3,600	39½	38¾	38¾	38½
Do pfd	400	91	89	91	89
N. Y. Central	600	135¾	135¼	135¾	135¼
Norfolk & West	17,400	40¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Do pfd	100	78¼	78¼	78¼	78¼
N. Y. Ont. & W	1,300	24¾	24¼	24¼	24¼
Pere Marquette	700	25¾	25¼	25¼	24¾
National Lead	2,600	49¾	48¾	49¾	49¾
Do pfd	600	91	90¼	90¾	90¾
N. Y. Air Brake	181	121	121	121	121
People's Gas	12,400	104	102¾	103¾	103¼
Penna. R. R	10,900	138	136¾	137¾	137¾
Pacific Mail	1,200	43	42¾	42¾	42¾
Pullman	300	182¾	181	182	182¾
Pressed Steel Car	50	50	50	50	49¾
Quicksilver	100	14	14	14	13¾
Do pfd	100	3	3	3	3
Pacific Coast	40	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾
Reading	700	19	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do 1st pfd	6,300	69¾	59¾	60	60¾
Do 2d pfd	2,500	52¾	51¾	51¾	51
Republic Steel	700	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do pfd	600	61¾	61¾	61¾	58¾
Southern Pacific	1,600	54¾	54¼	54¼	54¾
Southern Ry	1,100	59	58¾	58¾	58¾
St. L. & I. 1st pfd	200	43	43	43	
Southern Pacific	15,200	39¾	39¼	39¼	39¼
St. L. & S. W	2,100	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Do pfd	300	33¼	32¾	32¾	33¼
St. L. & S. Fran	100	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Do 2d pfd	300	37	37	37	36¾
Texas Land	300	14½	14¼	14¼	
Texas Pacific	12,300	24¾	24¼	24¼	24¼
Third Avenue	1,000	113¾	112	113¾	113½
Twin City pfd	100	142	142	142	
Tenn. Coal & Iron	4,200	85¾	84¾	85¾	86¼
Union Pacific	27,000	58¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Do pfd	3,100	75¾	75	75¾	75¾
U. S. Leather	3,500	12¾	11¾	11¾	12
Do pfd	1,100	69	68	70	71¾
U. S. Express	110	49¼	48¾	49¼	48¾
U. S. Rubber	1,100	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
Wheeling 2d pfd	1,100	30¼	29½	30¾	29¾
Wabash	200	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Do pfd	2,300	23¾	23¼	23¾	23¾
Wis. Central	1,500	18	17¾	17¾	17¾
Do pfd	400	51¼	50¾	51	50¾
Western Union	1,600	83	82	82	82¼

Total sales, 551,338 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	120	United States	45
American	143	Fargo	123

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. 3s, reg., w. i.	106	U. S. 4s reg.	114¾
U. S. 2s, reg	99¼	U. S. old 4s, coup.	114¾
U. S. 3s, reg	109¼	U. S. 5s, reg	112¾
U. S. 3s, coup	109¼	U. S. 5s, coup	113¾
U. S. new 4s, reg	132½	D. of C. 3.65s	121½
U. S. new 4s, coup	133½		

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS.

102000 Atch gen 4s	100¼@¾	67000 Mex Cent 1st inc	27½@28¾
33000 do adjmt 4s	84¼@⅝	10500 Mo Pac 1st con 6s	104¾
12000 Ann Arbor 4s	93¾	43000 M K-T 1st 4s	93¾@¾
2000 A & S 1st 4s	115¾	34000 do 2d	89½
4000 A D-I 5s	115¾	2000 Mo P con 6s	120¾
44000 B-O 3½s	98½	69000 do tr 5s 1917	
40000 do 4s	101		
6000 B-O S W 3½s		1000 do 5s 1920	97¾
3000 B R T 5s	90¼@¾	5000 Met St Ry 5s	119
10000 Bkln Un El 1st	95¾@96	1000 M-O gm 4s	87¾
5000 Met El 1st	115¾	5000 N Y C 7s	134¾
52000 Cent Ga con 5s	85¾@86	10000 N Y G-E 5s	109¼
59000 do 2d inc	18¾@19¼	12000 N O & W rcf 4s	90¾
10000 do 3d inc		4s	105¾
15000 Chi Jct 5s	94¾	24000 N-W con 4s	97¾@¾
4000 do 4s	99¾	2000 N Pac gen lien 3s	68¼@¾
8000 C N J gen 5s	125¼@124	4000 do 4s	103¾
1000 do reg	121¾	9000 N C-St L 4s	104¾
5000 C-E I 1st	116	3000 N Y C-St L 4s	107¾
5000 do gen 6s	120¾	1000 O R N 4s	103¼
1000 dq con 5s	120¼	9000 O S L con 5s	
4000 do R-A 1st	105		113¾@114
2000 do 4s	93¾	4000 Penna 4½s	111¾
2000 C I-L rcf 5s	106	14000 P-E inc	30¾
10000 Chic Termi 4s	97	1000 P-C gen 4s	93¾
10000 C & E Ill 6s	115¾		88¾@89
3000 Col Mid 2-4s	37¾	3000 R G So 5s	71¾
1000 Col So 4s	107¾	2000 R W-O con 5s	107¾
2000 C-E 1st	117¾	87000 St L-I M gen	
10000 Cent of N J		5s	110¾@¾
1st	88	12000 do 4s	83¾@84
2000 C C C-St L	97½	4000 St L-S F gm 4s	111¾
4000 C C-I cons	137	36000 St L S W 1st	
5000 D-R G 5s	102		92¼@¾
1000 E-T 5s	97	12000 do 2d	82¼
1000 E L-B S 5s	101¾	1000 St J-G I 1st	
10000 Erie gen lien		3-4s	83¾
4s	74	3000 So Pac 4s	84¼@¾
15000 do con 4s		16000 So Ry 5s	
	80¼@80⅝		112¾@113
1000 Ft W-R G 1st	87½	17000 S R-T 4s	72¾
9000 G E Co buyer		7000 So P Ariz 1st	114
con 5s	105¼@¾	10000 T-P 1st	110
5000 G Elec deb 5s	111¾	1000 T-O C gn 5s	99¼
5000 G B-W deb		20000 T St L-K C	
	70	1st	120
10000 G H-S A-M 7s		5000 Ulster-D 1st	
1st	101¾	5s	107
10000 H T C gen 4s	84½	44000 U P 4s	106¾@106
10000 I C St L div		25000 U S 4s reg	
3½s	91¾	new	132¾
5000 do 4s 1953	104½	10000 do coup	133¾
1000 Knox-O 1st	122½	2000 do 4s 1907 reg	114¾
14000 K C P-G 1st		28000 Wab 2d	103¾
	70@80	2000 do deb Ser. B	41¾
1000 K-K 1st	108¾	WN Y P g	
4000 K-K 2d	90		97¾@¾
1000 L S-M S 3½s	111	1000 W N C 6s	118
10000 do 2d	114¾	5000 W-L E Wheel-	
14000 L-N unf 4s		ing 5s	104
	100¼@¾	32000 Wis Cy 4s	92¾
3000 do coll tr 4s	98¼	5000 W S gtd 4s	114½
2000 Lac Gas 5s	109¼		

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash and Securities at the Hub.

BOSTON, Mass., April 18.—[Special.]—Some of the coppers took on a bit of life today. Montana went from 306 to 317, Butte advanced to 78, Canadian gained 2 points, Quincy 4, Tamarack 3, and most of the others had fractional gains. Bell telephone dropped from 326, Monday's closing, to 317, but afterwards regained some of the loss. Home rubber was firm.

Call loans, 3½@4¼ per cent. Time loans, 4@5 per cent. Clearing-house rate, 4 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amn. Sugar	3,000	105¾	107¼	105¾	106¾
Amal. Copper	150	93	93	93	93
Arcadian	400	21½	23	20½	23
Atchison	200	27	27	27	27
Do pfd	1,200	70¾	70¾	70¼	70¾
Arnold	300			6¾	6¾
B. & B. Mining	100	310	320	310	317
Bonanza	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
B. & B. Mining	700	17	18	17	17
Baltic	1,000	21¼	21¼	20¾	21
Bell Telephone	200	325	325	317	317
Bos. Elevated	300	4¾	4¾	4¼	4¾
Bingham	150	11	11	11	11
C. B. & Q	400	125¾	126¼	125¾	126
Centennial	200	11¾	12	11¾	11¾
Central Oil	150	18	18	18	18
Centennial	600	21	21	20¾	21
Erie Tel	25	103	103	103	103
Fitchburg pfd	100	133	133	132	132
General Electric	500	135¼	139	134	138½
Do 10 per cent	100	139	139	139	139
Mohawk	50	17	17	16	16¾
Mex. Central	800	14	14¾	14	14¾
Oceanic Mining	1,000	25	26	25	25¾
Royal	150	27	28	27	28
Old Dominion	300	20	20½	20	20¼
Parrott	1,000	45	46	44½	45¾
Quincy Mining	500	136	139	136	139
Rhode Island	100	6¼	6¼	6	6
Tri Mountain	200	9	9	9	9
Tamarack	300	6	6	6	6
Union Pacific	1,000	58¼	59¼	58¼	58¾
Do pfd	350	76¾	76¾	75¾	76¾
United States Oil	50	19	19	18½	18½
West End R. R	25	93¼	93¼	93¼	93¼
Utah	500	31	32½	31	32

BONDS.

$5000 Atch 4s	100¼	$5000 DGR&W 4s	94½
7000 Atch adj	84	12000 KCF&M 4s	
3000 CWM 5s	100¾		100½@¾

IN THE FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.

Tendency of Cash and Securities in London, Paris, and Berlin.

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Commercial-Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: The markets here wers stagnant but steady today. Lord Roberts' dispatches of Generals Buller and Warren were much debated, but were not regarded as disturbing. Americans opened off on the break in New York yesterday and the strike and there was little London dealing, but the continent bought slightly. New York became unsettled, selling finally. The street closed disheartened. Norfolk and Western was again the feature, touching 40¾ and closing at 40¼. Louisville and Nashville was heavy. It is said that a Liverpool house is in difficulties. Tintos were flat at 52½ on the copper statistics, but recovered to 60 on Paris support.

The week's efflux of gold was £128,000. Paris is inquiring in the open market, but there are no supplies. Money was again in demand. Bills were up on the rise in New York exchange. The large sum due the bank was all renewed at 5 per cent and a fair new discount business was done at 4 per cent.

LONDON, April 18.—The weakness in Wall street yesterday, together with a lack of public support here, tended at first to check American securities, but the market quickly recovered and became fairly strong. Trading was not active, owing to the settlement. The closing was firm, with a moderate demand. Spanish 4s closed at 72¾.

Consols for money, 101 1-16; do for the account, 101 5-16; Canadian Pacific, 99⅝; Erie, 14⅛; Erie first preferred, 42¾; Illinois Central, 113; Union Pacific preferred, 77½; St. Paul common, 124⅝; New York Central, 136; Pennsylvania, 78¾; Reading, 25⅞; Northern Pacific preferred, 78¾; Atchison, 27¾; Louisville, 86¾; Grand Trunk, 8¾; Anaconda, 10¾; Rand Mines, 3⅝. Bar silver steady, 27¾d per ounce. Money, 3@2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 4 per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills, 4@4¼ per cent.

PARIS, April 18.—Business opened firm on the bourse today, but later, owing to the weakness in rentes, there was a decline. Rio Tintos hesitated in small transactions, but there was a recovery before the close. Spanish stocks were harder on improved rates of exchange. Rio Tintos were offered on the increase in the visible supply. De Beers improved weak, but recovered sharply. Kaffirs were firm.

BERLIN, April 18.—Business on the boerse today was undecided, this being partly due to realizations in mine shares and partly in view of the approaching settlement and uncertainty in regard to the money market. Spanish 4s were good as a result of the conversion scheme.

The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes: Cash in hand, increased 18,000,000 marks; treasury notes, increased 1,000,000 marks; other securities, decreased 62,560,000 marks; notes in circulation, decreased 72,420,000 marks.

IN THE FOREIGN PRODUCE MARKET.

Closing Quotations on Grain, Cotton, and Provisions in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, April 18.—Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 1 California, 6s 8d@6s 9½d; No. 2 red Western winter, 6s 1d. Futures quiet; April, nominal; May, 5s 10d; July, 5s 9¾d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 4s 2d. Futures quiet; May, 4s 1¾d; July, 4s ¾d; September, 4s 3d. Lard—American refined, in pails, steady, 39s 6d; Prime Western, in tcs, steady, 37s 3d. Bacon—Short ribs firm, 44s 6d. Cottonseed oil—Hull, refined, May-August, strong, 22s 9d. Turpentine spirits—Steady, 41s.

Cotton—Spot cotton in limited demand; prices ¼-16d lower. American middling fair, 5 25-32d; good middling, 5½d; middling, 5 9-16d; low middling, 5 5-16d; good ordinary, 5¼d; ordinary, 5 1-16d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,000 American. Receipts, 37,000 bales, including 36,000 American. Futures opened steady and closed quiet at the decline. American middling, l. m. c., April, 5 21-64@5 22-64d buyers; April-May, 5 19-64@5 20-64d sellers; May-June, 5 15-64@5 16-64d buyers; June-July, 5 13-64d buyers; July-August, 5 11-64d sellers; August-September, 5 9-64d sellers; September-October, 43-64@4 44-64d sellers; October-November, 4 33-64d sellers; November-December, 4 26-64@4 27-64d sellers; December-January, 4 25-64@4 25-64d sellers; January-February, 4 22-64@4 23-64d sellers.

In the Mining Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 18.—Mining stocks:

Chollar	20	Ontario	800
Crown Point	15	Ophir	73
Con. Cal. & Va	160	Plymouth	10
Deadwood	100	Quicksilver	150
Gould & Currie	28	Do pfd	700
Hale & Norcross	138	Sierra Nevada	10
Homestake	5000	Standard	345
Iron Silver	66	Union Con	80
Mexican	34	Yellow Jacket	30

IN THE LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Receipts and Shipments of Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep.

Following is a statement of Chicago receipts and shipments of live stock, the receipts including stock received direct by packers:

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday, April 16	19,606	90	37,280	15,346
Tuesday, April 17	33,767	1,688	15,515	8,869
Wednesday, April 18	14,500	600	30,000	14,000
Totals	36,661	2,378	80,792	43,245
One week ago	38,511	3,685	91,796	54,912
One year ago	32,906	2,916	65,438	49,392
Shipments—				
Monday, April 16	3,367	2	6,001	127
Tuesday, April 17	1,797		2,539	1,690
Wednesday, April 18	3,353	30	13,500	500
Totals	8,064	32	12,040	3,317
One week ago	8,067	47	12,040	3,317
One year ago	8,379	702	19,871	2,744

Combined receipts at Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, and St. Louis:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Thus far this week	74,000	160,000	66,000
Same period last week	79,000	168,000	84,000
Same period 1899	69,000	165,000	85,000
Same period 1898	55,000	163,000	58,000

Today's receipts are estimated at 8,500 cattle, 25,000 hogs, and 12,000 sheep, against 10,791 cattle, 29,264 hogs, and 11,372 sheep a week ago, and 9,827 cattle, 21,850 hogs, and 9,851 sheep the corresponding Thursday a year ago:

Packers purchased 22,200 hogs and shippers 4,000. Trading in the pits on the Armour bought 3,000; Anglo-American, 2,300; Boyd & Lunham, 1,000; Continental, 4,000; Hammond, 900; International, 2,000; Lipton, 1,700; Morris, 1,100; and Swift, 3,900. Drovers' averaging 225@264 lbs cost $5.85@5.90; mixed, $5.75@5.90; bulk, $5.75@5.85.

Cattle—Most of the light and medium weight beef cattle sold at steady prices, while the heavier

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SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGE 23, good penman, temperate habits, general office work; moderate salary. Address T 242, Tribune.

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House Is Willing to Make Reduction in Certain Cases, but Senate Finance Committee Will Probably Block Legislation — Congress Plans Restrictions of Power for Granting Franchises in Porto Rico—Appointment of Civil Officials.

WASHINGTON BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, Washington, D. C., April 18.

It is now extremely doubtful that anything will be done at this session to reduce the war revenue taxes.

Reduction of War Revenue Doubtful.

Although many interests of the country have appealed to Congress for relief, and the House is willing to make some reduction, the Senate Finance committee will, in all probability, completely block legislation of this kind. It is also claimed on excellent authority that President McKinley is unwilling to go into this question at this time, and notwithstanding the growing surplus, the opposing influences will probably be strong enough to defeat the attempt to reduce the taxes.

The members of the Ways and Means committee are in favor of cutting down the war revenue act to the extent of $30,000,000 and taking the tax off proprietary medicines and instruments of business, such as stamps on checks, drafts, bills of exchange, bills of lading, memoranda of contracts for the rent of land, powers of attorney, and other deeds whereby any land is transferred or otherwise conveyed. The members of the Senate Finance committee are unwilling to do this for two reasons. One is, it is feared if a bill of this kind is brought in the session of Congress will be prolonged until the middle of July. Another and a more important reason is that the Senators believe if a bill repealing some of these taxes is taken up for consideration it will be loaded down with amendments, and consequently the entire war revenue act will be wiped out of existence.

They take the ground that if this should be done the surplus in the Treasury would disappear instantly, and more damage would result to the business of the country than if the entire war revenue law should remain in effect another year. It has not been positively decided that nothing will be done, but the members of the House are unwilling to attempt legislation of this kind unless they are certain it will meet with success. In the near future the Ways and Means committee and the Senate Finance committee will meet and discuss this question, and if the committee of the Upper House will agree to put the bill through one will be framed, but if no agreement can be reached nothing will be done.

General Grosvenor today introduced a bill authorizing the President to appoint from among the general officers of volunteers now in service not to exceed three Brigadier Generals in the regular service, with a view to placing them on the retired list of the regular army. The officers for whose benefit the bill was introduced by General Grosvenor were said to be General Fitzhugh Lee, Joseph Wheeler, and James H. Wilson.

It is feared the liberal provisions in the Porto Rican government bill in regard to the granting of franchises will be the source of some scandal, and it is proposed by the members of the House to enact legislation which will prevent it. As the law stands today the executive officers of Porto Rico, who are also members of the upper branch of the Legislature, together with the members of that body who do not hold executive positions, have the exclusive right to grant franchises. This body consists of eleven members, all of whom are appointed by the President. They are given authority to grant franchises subject only to the approval of the Governor and the President. Before the bill became a law there was some opposition to this provision, as it was believed too much authority was given in regard to the granting of valuable franchises. Representative Cooper, chairman of the Insular Affairs committee, is now at work upon a bill which, if adopted, will be restrictive and also throw safeguards around franchises which will be given at all. It is understood Speaker Henderson is in favor of this action, and when the exact provisions of the bill are agreed upon it is believed it will be adopted with little delay.

To Restrict Porto Rican Civil Bill.

Owing to the difficulty confronting the President in organizing the civil government for Porto Rico, steps were taken today on the recommendation of Secretary Root to allow the army officers in that island to retain their civil positions until Aug. 1. The Porto Rican government bill goes into effect May 1, and owing to the enormous amount of work which will be required in setting the machinery in motion and selecting persons qualified to fill the offices created it will be impossible for the President to carry out the provisions of the law. Major McKinley is extremely anxious to give the Porto Ricans the best material available, and for this reason he will require more time than is allowed by the law.

Plans for Porto Rican Appointments.

Today Representative Cooper, Chairman of the Insular Affairs committee, introduced a joint resolution which provides that "Until the officers to fill any office provided for in the bill creating a civil government for Porto Rico shall be appointed and qualified, the officer or officers now performing the civil duties pertaining to such offices may continue to perform the same under the authority of that law. No officer of the army shall lose his commission by reason of this service in a civil position. Nothing here contained shall be held to extend the time for the appointment and qualifications of any such officers beyond Aug. 1, 1900."

Inasmuch as this legislation is recommended by the President and the Secretary of War it is believed it will be adopted immediately and thus give the President ample time to secure first-class men to administer the affairs of Porto Rico.

There is some friction in the House Committee on Agriculture, over the Grout bill, which proposes to impose a heavy tax on oleomargarine colored in imitation of butter. It arises over the fact that the hearings on this bill have been unduly prolonged and that the committee is anxious to report the bill back to the House, with a view of getting some action. This measure has been referred to a subcommittee consisting of Representatives Wadsworth, Lorimer, Bailey, Dahle, Williams of Mississippi. The hearings have been held under the auspices of the subcommittee, but the full committee is of the opinion that they have secured enough information to enable them to act intelligently.

Friction Over Oleomargarine Measure.

The dairymen of the country claim the oleomargarine manufacturers are playing for delay, hoping to drive the bill along in committee until the session draws near a close and the pressure for other legislation will aid them in keeping the bill from being called up for action. It is also alleged that after this measure has been reported out of the Agricultural committee the oleomargarine manufacturers will demand that it be referred to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, because of a clause in it relating to interstate traffic in that product. If this motion were adopted there would be another long delay. Today Representative Neville of Nebraska gave notice that at the next meeting of the committee he would move that further hearings be suspended. Williams of Mississippi said he would oppose the motion, and a lively row is looked for.

"I will do everything in my power to assist in having the bill taxing oleomargarine adopted," said Representative McCleary of Minnesota. "I am receiving a number of protests against this legislation, and those who have written to me seem to have lost the point of the bill entirely. The measure will not tax oleomargarine to death, nor will it put any tax upon the article above half a cent a pound. If, however, this commodity is colored in imitation of butter a tax of 10 cents per pound is imposed. Thus the fraud is taxed, and not the product, and there will be scarcely any restriction upon the sale of oleomargarine if it is sold for what it is represented to be."

Will Vote for Oleomargarine Bill.

In speaking of the necessity for legislation providing for a civil code in Alaska, Major Ray of the Eighth infantry, in command of the military districts in Northern Alaska, says:

Alaska Needs Civil Government.

"The United States District Judge at Sitka passed down the Yukon in August, but did not stop at any one place long enough to hold court. He appointed several court commissioners and Deputy Marshals. Such commissioners having, under the law, the powers of a justice of the peace in criminal cases only, and, being without money, jails, courthouses, or any means of conducting their courts, except on credit, they have been of but little service. The attainments of some of the appointees do not demand that respect that a representative of the United States judiciary should obtain in a country like this. In civil cases no court has been established except at Sitka that has jurisdiction.

"The practical operation of this condition leaves all of north Alaska without any court to which the citizens can appeal, owing to the time and expense attending the process of bringing suit, and even the commissioned court is too expensive a luxury to be indulged in except by the most opulent. Where action in determining title is attempted by a miners' meeting, I interfere to restrain until such time as both parties can get into court; but individual disputes I am unable to adjust. Crimes arising out of such disputes do occur, and are only incident to the conditions that exist here. To me the most remarkable feature is the peaceable character of the population all along the Yukon Valley. In my experience of over thirty years along our frontier I have never seen so little crime in proportion to the population and the interests at stake. It will be a great misfortune if the present Congress does not give to this north country a well-defined civil government."

Miss Elizabeth Blount, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. H. F. Blount, was married this evening to the Rev. Eugene Shippen, son of the distinguished divine of Boston. A throng of friends was present to witness the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Rush Shippen, the groom's father. Over 2,000 guests were invited.

Every spring official Washington is recommended to pay from 10 to 15 cents extra on the pound for butter, because it comes from some Senator's or Congressman's farm. One administration found the receptions of a Supreme Court Judge's wife a social place where trade in butter was solicited, and so successfully that more than one-half of the luncheons, teas, and dinners were supplied with the product of the Tennessee dairy farm of Justice Jackson of the Supreme Court. Senator Stewart's Virginia farm is one of the best known that looks to society for patronage now, and one dealer unblushingly makes a bid for the few cents extra on the pound that a Senatorial stamp will bring. Mrs. Fox, the Senator's daughter, inherits her father's love of farming, and has spent some summers on the place experimenting with butter making, chicken raising, and house parties. But even with the extra charge for butter made from Senatorial cows the Senator's farm is much more of a fad than an investment, and none of his friends begrudge him the pleasure in his old days of watching the chickens scratch up his Virginia garden.

Officials in the Dairy Business.

"It would be a good scheme to go to the West for a candidate for Vice President on the Republican ticket," said Colonel Warner of Illinois, "and a good, strong man should be chosen who could carry his own State."

An important test of gun carriages is in progress at Sandy Hook. Upon the result will depend the expenditure of half a million dollars. The army is endeavoring to find a carriage which may be used as a mount for the new type of field gun of high power and of three-inch caliber. It is proposed to establish sixteen batteries of six guns each of this type, and the problem confronting the army ordnance officers is to secure a carriage which shall remain absolutely stationary when the gun is fired with a velocity of from 1,800 to 2,000 feet. There will be four carriages presented for trial. One is a rotary recoil carriage, made by the American Ordnance company; another is the design of the Driggs-Seabury Gun and Ammunition company; a third is the Barmancier telescope carriage, made by the Vickers company of England; and the fourth is a carriage designed by Captain Charles D. Wheeler, an army ordnance officer on duty in Washington.

Important Test of Gun Carriages.

All arrangements have been made for the President's trip. The party will leave here tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock over the Pennsylvania road to go first to Paterson, N. J., from there to New York, where they will remain over Sunday, and thence to Canton, returning to Washington in about a week.

Governor Taylor of Kentucky was at the Capitol today, but hesitated about going on the floor of the House, to which privilege Governors of States are entitled. Representative Rodenburg met the Governor in the corridor and invited him to go in the House, but Governor Taylor felt some delicacy about the matter, and also feared the Democrats would object to his presence. Mr. Rodenburg and one or two other Republicans talked to the Republican leaders about the matter, and they insisted the Governor of Kentucky should enjoy all the privileges to which he was entitled, and if the Democratic members of the House objected the Republicans would vote them down. On this condition Governor Taylor went upon the floor and took up a position in the Republican cloakroom, where nearly all Republican members paid their respects and assured the Governor they were his friends. A few Democrats were also presented to the Governor, but the majority ventured only as far as the cloakroom door and peered in curiously to see what sort of a looking man Governor Taylor is.

Governor Taylor Visits the Lower House.

There will be nearly two hundred vacancies of the grade of Second Lieutenant of the line of the army. There are many candidates from civil life for these attractive places, but from present prospects few of the applicants will secure commissions unless they command an unusual amount of personal and political influence. About sixty of the vacancies will be kept for the graduates of West Point, where there are more than fifty members of the present first class who will be commissioned July 1. The next preference will be shown for non-commissioned officers of regulars—men who have had experience and who come within the requirements of age limit, and service qualifications. It is expected there will be at least one hundred commissions remaining after the West-Pointers and the non-commissioned officers have been provided for. There are several hundred young men in civil life who are anxious to get into the army, but they will stand a poor chance while there are so many enlisted men and young officers of volunteers who are in the Philippines or who saw service in Cuba. Actual service during the late war will count for much in selecting officers for commissions.

Many Vacancies in Grade of Second Lieutenant.

One of the simplest weddings of the day was the marriage of Miss Hattie Gorman, daughter of ex-Senator and Mrs. A. P. Gorman of Maryland, to Mr. Stephen Gambrill. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride at noon, the Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliff officiating. The wedding party stood in the bow window, which was made into a floral bower. The bride came in with her father, preceded by the groom and his best man, Mr. John T. Sanford of Baltimore. There were no maids or other attendants. The bride wore a dress of white satin, richly embroidered, and tulle veil held in place by a cluster of orange blossoms. She carried a large bouquet of lilies of the valley. But few guests were present, most of them being from out of town and immediate relatives. The young people left for a Northern trip, after which they will be at home in Boston.

Stephen Gambrill Marries Miss Hattie Gorman.

SPAR OVER PORTO RICO.

GROSVENOR AND WILLIAMS HAVE TARIFF CONTROVERSY.

Subject Comes Up in House Debate on Naval Bill—Started by Democrats Charging That the President Has Changed His Mind in Regard to Free Trade for the Island — Ohio Member Warmly Defends the Administration.

Washington, D. C., April 18.—The debate on the naval appropriation bill under the five-minute rule today drifted into politics and for a good portion of the afternoon members fought hammer and tongs across the political aisle. The partisan rancor almost culminated in a sensational scene between Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, the champion of the administration, and Mr. Williams of Mississippi.

It was charged by the Democrats that President McKinley had changed his mind regarding the Porto Rican bill, and Mr. Grosvenor, in explaining Mr. McKinley's attitude, said:

"As soon as it became manifest to the President that money had to be raised in some way and that the Ways and Means committee of this House had brought in a tariff bill providing for 15 per cent or 25 per cent, the President recognized the right and power of this House to originate that tariff bill. Up to the last moment of the passage of the Porto Rican bill gentlemen on the other side insisted that the President was still in favor of free trade in Porto Rico, and newspapers from one end of this continent to the other blamed that we, on this side of the House, were in a contest with the President, that the President never had changed his mind, that he was still in favor of free trade.

Gave No Sign.

"But I call the gentleman's attention to the fact that in the message of the President he gave no sign or indication of when he desired that free trade measure should go into effect. We, by our vote, put it so that within the next sixty days, nine days, four months, any time after the organization of the civil government, the people of Porto Rico can have free trade. The President has signed it and thereby given his approval to it."

"In the debate on the Porto Rican question," said Mr. Wheeler, "when the gentleman appealed to his colleagues to support the pending bill he charged it to be true that the President of the United States was then in accord with him."

Mr. Grosvenor—I say so now.

Mr. Wheeler—He changed his opinion——

Mr. Grosvenor—I say he did not change his opinion in any material respect. He simply changed from the original idea of free trade to what was almost the condition of free trade that we appended to the measure. The country understands it. The Republican party will not lose any votes in the coming election because of its action on the Porto Rican bill.

Points to Island Legislation.

"Look at the liberal, generous, Christian laws that we have bestowed upon the people of Porto Rico. Look at the fact that but for the intervention of a few men on this side of the water we should have extended the same benefits of the constitution, the same liberty of American citizenship, in embryo at least, to the people of the Philippine Islands.

"But we would not consent that you should drive us to admit that the people of Porto Rico and the people of the Philippine Islands were upon an equal footing with the people in the United States. We would not consent that millions and millions of Malays and all those people might come over here and march into our labor markets, and we will make it warm for you before the campaign is over."

When Mr. Grosvenor took his seat Mr. Williams demanded an opportunity to reply, and time was accorded him.

"I asked the gentleman from Ohio a question," which he either could not answer or would not answer, or, in his usual lawyer-like, politician style, desired to evade. That question has not been answered yet.

Says It Was Not Rude.

"I asked him whether the President had not in a public message announced that he was in favor of free trade between Porto Rico and the balance of the United States, and also whether various members of this House had not risen one after another to say that the President had told them in private conversation subsequently that he was at the time of the conversation in favor of the bill which passed the House. There was nothing rude in that inquiry; there was nothing in it that could have stirred up wrath in the breast of any man except one who felt as if he had to break up the convention in a row in order to keep from arriving at an election. That is all."

Mr. Grosvenor disclaimed any intention of affronting Mr. Williams.

Some progress was made with the bill, but most of the controverted points went over. A motion to strike from the bill the contingent fund of $500,000 for the Navy department was defeated. A point of order against the appropriation of $350,000 for the new naval academy at Annapolis was pending when the House adjourned.

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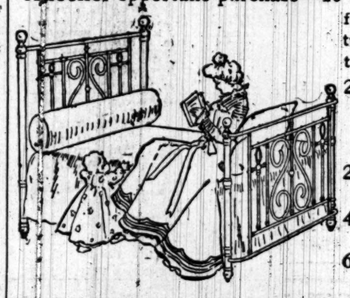

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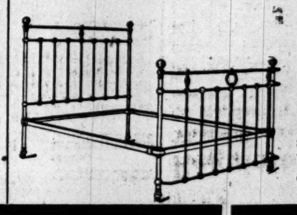

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BOARD IS TO ME...

New York, April 19.—[Sp... development in the tang... is the probability that the ... has set out to buy a cont... the American Steel and Wi... is added the report that He... be present at the meeting ... Wire directors, called for ... row in the offices of the c... way.

In case the forecasts t... is to resign the chairma... develop into a fact then ... Frick to be made chairm... Colonel Gates. In such a... the Carnegie interests wo... nant in the trust.

Among the many rumors ... day was one that Colonel ... forced already to resign his ... man of the board and had ... city to avoid meeting P... and the committee of West... was not at his office today.

Colonel John Lambert, Isa... Drake, and William Edenb... with the American Steel a... arrived from Chicago ton... the Waldorf. Colonel Lam... not see any newspaper me... whatever to say about Steel.

It is said that the West... to conduct a strict investi... Gates' action in closing tw... company at a time when ... H. Gary of the Federal St... steel and iron trade of the c... perous as ever and the mi... are unable to fill the orders ... accumulating since Jan. 1.

Story in Wall...

Such campaigns as the ... of the Carnegie people to ... the company are invariably ... great discretion, and usua... than half realized before ... surface, but Wall street l... interested in steel just now ... more than passing scruti... cidents even more remote... the Gates mystery.

Through a jealously guar... formation—a commission ... been intrusted with heavy ... it was learned that the ... Steel and Wire preferred, ... extraordinary strength to ... day's market, was for Carn... count. There is no other ex... than that the big Pittsbur... the properties owned and ... American Steel and Wir... purposes to acquire them ... stock in the open market if ...

The movement thus revea... after the recent slump. Th... transactions in American ... preferred was 33,000 share... of the buying was to mate... prices. Every share of st... bought in by brokers acti... interests.

Feeling Hard Tow...

Speculation as to what t... pany proposes to do wi... Steel and Wire properties, ... them, is premature. It is ... street, however, that this ... repressive plan of campa... the recent conferences of ... called for the purpose of ... and means for avenging ... Colonel Gates. At this co... negie company, the Feder... the National Steel compa... were represented.

Mr. Gates is becoming ... disliked, and the unfriend... him by Wall street is an ... its way. "The feeling is ... to have caused the breaki... confidences, and those wh... say Colonel Gates has bee... late in Wall street specula... clusion is drawn that h... American Steel and Wire ... pose of restoring waning ...

The indications are tha... will be greatly disturbed ... through the actions of t... whose representatives hav... things unpleasant for Mr. ... concern unless he is force... Carnegie company secure... ican Steel and Wire it pro... a division of the field, ... perhaps, the smooth wi... American company's busi... be in accordance with the ... the conference referred ...

Say Gates Is Ou...

At the office of John W... ing was given out:

"I don't think he is in t... nor his secretary has bee... don't know whether he h... tends to resign."

When Henry Seligman ... asked if Mr. Gates had ... "I can't say whether it ... don't know anything abou...

According to one of th... from the West today th... the mills of the Americ... company was caused by ... some of the other steel ... supplies to it at reduced ...

It is reported this after... would be circulated amo... the Stock Exchange to as... mittee to remove Steel an... the list. President Kepp... said:

"I doubt the truth of t... see how it is possible fo... take such action."

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It is declared that Presi... not consulted by Colone... to the order closing the mi... as much surprised as ... in Wall street when the ... suddenly sprung. Mr. L... to New York to consult ...

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